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A RESUME OF MEASURES PENDING BEFORE
BOTH HOUSES OF THE LEGISLATURE IN
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ASSEMBLY BILLS.

A. B. 1. BAKER.

Amends Sec. 117 of the Political Code, relating to the division of the state into congressional districts and defining and establishing such districts.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Reapportionment.

A. B. 2. BALL.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1770a.

Amends the Juvenile Court Law of 1915, by adding Sec. 22a. Empowers the board of supervisors to establish an elementary public school at the county detention home. Provides for all school facilities. Directs the maintenance of such school by the governing board of the elementary school district in which the home is situated; to be conducted, as nearly as possible, in the same manner as elementary schools are conducted. Provides for the transfer of necessary funds in excess of regular allowance from the county general fund, to maintain said schools.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 3. BROMLEY.

Adds Sec. 3051a to the Civil Code. Fixes a limit on the amount of a lien on property held under Sec. 3051 of said code, which relates to liens on personal property for services thereon. The new section requires that the holder of the lien shall give five days notice in writing prior to commencing any work, etc., on any property, to the owner thereof, whenever such work, etc., is performed at the request of any person other than the owner, and in cases of automobiles, such notice shall be given to the owner and the legal owner thereof as shown on the registration certificate.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 4. CHRISTIAN.

Amends Sec. 4232 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of officers in counties of the third class (Alameda County).

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 5. CLEARY.

New General Law. Increases the number of Superior Court judges in Tulare County from two to three. Provides for the appointment of an additional judge, and fixes his term of office and compensation (same as other judges of said court). Provides for the election of his successor.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 6. COOMBS.

New General Law. Authorizes and provides for the formation of bridge and highway districts of one or more counties and cities and towns within the state, for the purpose of constructing and maintaining bridges and highways by the district. Creates a commission and provides for the appointment of commissioners to manage and represent the district. Provides funds by direct tax upon the taxable property of the district or by the issuance of bonds to be paid by the district, and chargeable upon the property thereof. Provides for the payment of interest on said bonds and for the redemption or refuting thereof. Provides for elections for the purpose of creating said bond issue, and for the issuing and the sale of bonds by the commission. Provides for the payment of all expenses, charging of a toll, the disposition of moneys received and the apportionment of the surplus.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 7. EKSWARD AND LYONS.

New General Law. Provides for the preparation, printing and distribution of the codes and general laws of California and a new edition every two years. Directs that copies of codes and general laws be offered to the public at a price to cover cost of publication, etc. Receipts to be paid into state treasury. Appropriates ----- dollars therefor.

To Committee on Revision and Printing.

A. B. 8. FOSTER.

Amends Sec. 791 of the Political Code (last amended in 1917, Stats. p. 92), relating to notaries public.

Effect: Removes the restriction in number of notaries (130) in counties of the second class (San Francisco).

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 9. HEISINGER.

New General Law. Declares that persons engaged in any manner in petroleum manufacturing or refining for compensation in this state are engaged in essential industry, and are thereby a public utility subject to the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act." (Deer. Gen L. No. 2586.) Defines "petroleum manufacturing or refining plant." The act is not to be construed as applying to persons where the nature and extent of their business does not affect public needs, nor as applying to the production of crude petroleum.

To Committee on Public Utilities.

A. B. 10. J. W. JOHNSTON.

Appropriates \$500,000 for the reconstruction of the causeway (about one mile in length) on the Auburn Boulevard at the end of the American River bridge, Sacramento County.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 11. F. JOHNSON.

Adds Sec. 737w to the Political Code. Increases salary of judge of Superior Court of Kings County from \$4,000 to \$5,000.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 12. LYMAN.

Amends Sec. 1373 of the Code of Civil Procedure (last amended in 1921, Stats., p. 137). The new amendment provides that the clerk of the court shall mail notice of the hearing of petition for letters of administration to the heirs of the decedent **residing in the State of California**, named in the petition, etc. The words in bold face type are added by the amendment. Under present section, notice is mailed to all heirs wherever residing.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 13. LYONS.

Amends Secs. 92 and 139 and adds Sec. 108 to the Civil Code. The amendment to Sec. 92 changes "Extreme Cruelty" to "Cruelty," and adds as the seventh cause for divorce "Insanity."

Sec. 108 (new) declares that insanity must be incurable and continuous for five years after adjudication before it is ground for divorce. Declares that insanity is not a ground for divorce if caused by the act of the party seeking relief, and that the insane spouse must have resided continuously within the State of California for five years immediately preceding the commencement of the action. Provides for the service of the complaint and summons upon district attorney.

The amendment to Sec. 139 provides that where the divorce is granted on the ground of insanity of the wife, the court must require the husband to provide for the children and to make suitable allowance for the wife, as the court may decree.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 14. MISS MILLER.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2643.

Adds Sec. 16a to the Teachers Retirement Salary Act of 1913. Provides that certain service of teachers in training schools connected with a teachers college or with the University of California or service as a supervisor of practice teaching therein, shall be equivalent to service under legal certificate in a day or evening school and the time of said service shall be reckoned in determining the right to retirement salary under the provisions of sections 13 and 14 of the act.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 15. A. G. MITCHELL.

Adds Sec. 476b to the Penal Code. Provides that as against the maker or drawer thereof, the drawing, or delivering of a check, etc., payment of which is refused by the drawee, shall be prima facie evidence of intent to defraud and knowledge of insufficient funds in, or credit with, such drawee.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 16. NOYES.

New General Law. Declares a certain portion of the public highway in Sutter County a state highway, and places the same under the management and control of the Department of Engineering. Appropriates \$400,000 for purpose of act.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 17. REINDOLLAR.

New General Law. Declares a certain portion of the public highway in Marin County a state highway and places the same under the management and control of the Department of Engineering. **No appropriation.**

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 18. ROCK.

New General Law. Conveys certain lands owned by the state in the city of San Francisco to the said city to be used for an aquatic park. Grants the right to make improvements, etc.

To Committee on State Grounds and Parks.

A. B. 19. SNYDER.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 986.

Adds Sec. 20a to the Drainage Act of 1885. Provides for the alteration of the boundaries of any drainage district. Change of boundaries shall not impair or affect the district's organization or its property rights, or impair or discharge any contract, obligation, lien or charge for or upon which said district may become liable or chargeable had such change of its boundaries not been made. Provides that the owners of one or more tracts of land susceptible of the same mode of drainage as the land within the district, and contiguous to the boundaries of the district, may file with the board of supervisors a petition praying that such tract or tracts may be **included** within the exterior boundaries of said district. The expense of giving the notice of the filing of the petition shall be paid by the persons filing such petition. Provides that if the holders of the legal title representing 10 per cent of the total acreage embraced within the exterior boundaries of said district file with the board of supervisors written objections to the inclusion of such land within the district, it shall be the duty of the board of supervisors to deny the petition and refuse to include said land within the boundaries of the district. If the land described in the petition should be included within the district, the board shall require the petitioners to pay the amount which said board shall deem equitable as and for the contribution of said tract of lands toward the work already done and the money expended by the district. Provides that in case there is a lien upon the lands within the district for assessment then the board of supervisors must determine the amount that the tract of land to be included should be assessed for. Makes the same provisions, in principle, to apply to the **exclusion** of land from drainage districts.

Effect: Tracts of land which were either included or excluded within the original or changed boundaries of any district, at or after its organization, may be excluded or included, respectively, under this section.

To Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

A. B. 20. WELLER AND E. G. MITCHELL. Deer. Gen. L. No. 1010.

Amends Secs. 5, 7 and 23 of the Direct Primary Law of 1913. The amendment to Sec. 5 declares that no person may become the candidate of more than one political party. Provides that this limitation shall not prevent a person from being nominated for an office by having his name written in. The amendments to Secs. 7 and 23 make changes to comply with the new provisions in Sec. 5.

To Committee on Elections.

A. B. 21. WEST.

Appropriates \$500,000 for the reconstruction of that portion of the state highway from Sacramento to Galt, county of Sacramento, known as the "Upper Stockton Road." Empowers the Department of Engineering to improve said highway.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 22. WEST.

New General Law. Increases the number of superior judges in Sacramento County from three to four. Authorizes the appointment of an additional judge, fixes his terms of office and his compensation (same as other judges of said court), and provides for the election of his successor.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 23. LYMAN.

Amends Sec. 1380 of the Code of Civil Procedure. Provides that at any time after the issuance of letters testamentary or of administration upon the estate of any decedent, any person **residing in the State of California** interested in said estate, etc. (The bold face words are added by the amendment.) Eliminates the words "administration of such estate is pending, a written request, stating that." The first clause, under proceedings in the administration of said estate is changed to read as follows: "(1) Filing of returns, or petitions for confirmation, of sales; petitions for leases or mortgages of any property of the estate." Eliminates from the provision relating to the filing of petitions or accounts the **exception** as follows: "petitions for sale of perishable property or other personal property which would incur expense or loss by keeping."

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 24. J. W. JOHNSTON.

Appropriates----- dollars for the construction of a grandstand at the state agricultural park.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

A. B. 25. F. JOHNSON.

Amends Sec. 537 of the Penal Code, relating to defrauding innkeepers and merchants. Eliminates "furnished apartment." Adds the following provision: "or who obtain such food and clothing as are considered necessities from any merchant dealing in such without paying therefor, with intent to defraud such merchant, or who, after obtaining such food or clothing, refuses to pay therefor," is guilty of a misdemeanor.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 26. HEISINGER.

Adds Sec. 69b to the Civil Code. Provides that no license to marry shall be issued to any woman under the age of forty-five years or man of any age (except to marry a woman over the age of forty-five years), unless the applicant present to the county clerk a certificate of examination from a reputable physician showing the non-existence of certain diseases, and, that said applicant is not an epileptic, feeble-minded person or idiot. Provides for re-examination in certain cases. Provides a penalty for violation of the act.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 27. FOSTER.

New General Law. Provides that in addition to the taxes now provided for by law, every dealer who is now engaged or may hereafter engage, directly or indirectly, in the sale or distribution, as dealers and distributors, of motor vehicle fuel shall render a statement to the secretary of state of all motor vehicle fuel sold or distributed by him in the state during the preceding calendar month, and pay a license tax of two cents per gallon on all motor vehicle fuel as shown by such statement. Provides for the regulation of such sales and the collection of said tax; and for the crediting of the same to the state highway fund. Provides certain exemptions. Prescribes certain penalties. Defines terms.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

A. B. 28. ERB.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 31.

Adds Sec. 4 to an act entitled "An act to prevent the adulteration of paints, oils, varnishes and pigments," approved March 22, 1907 (Stats. 1907, p. 852). Provides that no paints, oils, varnishes, or pigments, or any substitute therefor, marked and branded in any manner so as to tend to deceive the purchaser thereof as to its nature or composition, or which is not labeled as provided in the act, shall be exposed for sale or be sold within the state. The label or brand required shall state the

name and residence of the manufacturer of the paint, etc., or of the distributor thereof; and shall state the percentage of each ingredient, both solid and liquid, contained therein; and shall also show the net measure of the contents of the container. Provides that every person violating any of the provisions of the act is guilty of misdemeanor.

To Committee on Manufactures.

A. B. 29. EKSWARD.

New General Law. Authorizes the establishment of municipal port districts, in the various counties in the state, for the acquirement, construction, maintenance, operation, development and regulation of a system of harbor improvements and rail and water transfer and terminal facilities within such districts. Provides the method for the formation of such districts. Provides that the powers of the port district shall be exercised through a port commission. Provides for the levy and collection of taxes and special assessments therefor and for the issuance of bonds and for the payment thereof.

To Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

A. B. 30. CLARKE.

Amends Sec. 629 of the Penal Code. Makes it the duty of the fish and game commission to install and maintain a screen in a mill race, irrigating ditch, pipe, flume or canal whenever necessary to prevent fish from passing through. The present section provides that the state fish and game commission shall order the person, company or corporation, owning the mill race, irrigating ditch, etc., to install and maintain such screens.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 31. BALL.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1770a.

Amends Sec. 19x10 of the Juvenile Court Law of 1915 (this section was added in 1921, Stats. 1921, p. 1447). Changes the salary of the probation officer in counties of the tenth class (Orange) from \$150 to \$250 per month. Provides for two (now one) assistant probation officers, one at a salary of \$150 per month and one at a salary of \$75 per month (now one assistant at a salary of \$75 per month).

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 32. BADARACCO.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 889.

Amends Secs. 3, 6 and 7 and adds Secs. 6a and 7a to the Act of 1917, regulating the carrying of firearms. Changes Sec. 3 to include every person in the state (except peace officers or military men) who purchases or has in his possession any pistol, etc., capable of being concealed upon his person, or who carries such weapon concealed upon his person. Provides for the issuance of permits to purchase and possess and to carry such firearms. Provides further, that no sale, lease or

transfer of such firearms shall be made except upon the license provided therefor. Forbids a person dealing in such firearms to exhibit them to public view in his place of business.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 33. CHRISTIAN.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1297a.

Amends the 1915 Act, regulating the issuance of licenses for resale to hunters and anglers. This amendment includes "county clerks" in the exception to persons who shall be allowed compensation for each hunter's or angler's (added) license sold, registered and accounted for by them. **Allows** a compensation of 50 per cent for each market fisherman's license sold.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 34. EKSWARD.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 3932a.

Amends Secs. 3, 4, 5, 9, 12, 14, 15 and 17 of the Street Improvement Bond Act of 1915. Extends the time of payment of the bonds, provided for in Sec. 3, from nine to ten months. Makes them bear interest from date of confirmation of the assessment as provided in the Street Improvement Act instead of from date of filing with the clerk of the street superintendent's list of unpaid assessments. Provides that after confirmation of the assessment by the city council, the street superintendent shall file with the clerk a complete list of all unpaid assessments. Provides for notice to interested persons, who may appear and show cause why bonds should not be issued upon the security of the unpaid assessments. Directs the order of the retirement of the bonds. Provides that upon default in payment the land securing installments on assessments shall be sold, and that the purchaser shall take the property subject to all future or other unpaid assessments, interest and penalties. Provides that interest on all unpaid assessments shall begin to run from date of confirmation of the assessment. Provides that the treasurer in lieu of part payment of the interest in cash may accept an undertaking for payment on demand of the amount to which such owner would be entitled to reimbursement upon cancellation of coupons.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 35. COOMBS.

New General Law. Creates a board of retirement, to consist of the controller of state, chairman of state board of control, and general superintendent of state lunacy commission (the last mentioned office as well as the lunacy commission was abolished in 1921), who shall serve without compensation. Creates a permanent benefit fund to be made up from deductions based on years of service, from salaries of officers and employees holding established positions in certain state institutions (hospitals and prisons); and from gifts and bequests. Provides for investment of the fund, the payments to be made therefrom and for the government of the board of retirement.

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

A. B. 36. HEISINGER.

Amends Secs. 626h and 626i of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game. **Adds** the provision that any person who shall lawfully kill deer, during the open season may, upon making affidavit, obtain a tag for the hide of the deer (not exceeding one a year), from a justice of the peace or county clerk, entitling him to offer said deer skin for sale, exchange or transportation to any point within the state between August 1 and December 31. **Prescribes** the method for issuing such tags. **Provides** a penalty for false affidavits, counterfeiting or altering tags, and for any other violation of the act. **Changes** the limit of deer that may be killed in any one open season from two to one.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 37. HEISINGER.

Amends Sec. 2757 of the Civil Code, relating to the value of interest in policy of insurance. **Inserts** the following: "If there is either a partial or total loss, the insurer shall in no event be liable to the insured for an amount less than the valuation fixed in the policy upon the property destroyed on which the insurer has accepted premiums."

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 38. BROMLEY.

Amends Sec. 953c of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to records on appeal (last amended, 1919). **Provides** that the court may in all cases, upon good cause shown, extend time to print and file briefs, provided that the application is made before calling of the calendar for oral argument on the appeal.

To Committee on Judiciary.

(See A. B. 48, Coombs, amending the same section.)

A. B. 39. WEST.

Amends Sec. 4308 of the Political Code, relating to district attorney's special fund. **Provides** that in counties or cities and counties, having a population of 90,000 or more (now 100,000), there shall be in this fund at the beginning of each fiscal year, \$5,000. **Changes** throughout the section, "100,000" to "90,000."

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 40. WEST.

Amends Secs. 4236a to 4236p inclusive of the Political Code, Sacramento County Government Act.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 41. C. C. BAKER.

Appropriates \$1,736.92 to pay the claim of Jeff McElvaine.
To Committee on Claims.

A. B. 42. EDWIN BAKER.

Amends Sec. 1072 of the Political Code, relating to compensation of officers of election. **Allows** \$15 per day (now \$10) for such officers.
To Committee on Elections.

A. B. 43. COOMBS.

Amends Sec. 1560 of the Political Code, relating to teachers' institutes. Provides that during the year 1915 the superintendent of any county, or city and county, or city school district may convene an institute with the educational department of any international exposition held within the State of California, and may on an affirmative vote of two-thirds of all teachers engaged in teaching in such county requesting that such institute be called, direct the teachers of his county to attend the same in lieu of all, or a designated part, of the county, etc., under the same conditions and compensations as are provided in the section for the various districts. Provides that any teacher of the said district who shall refuse or neglect to attend sessions of said institute shall forfeit the last month's salary of the year in which she refuses or neglects to attend same. Provides that the trustees of the district may, for good cause, excuse any teacher from such attendance. Directs that the county auditor shall withhold the warrant of any teacher failing to attend said institute. Eliminates subdivision 3, relating to epidemic.

The year 1915 is an error and should be amended.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 44. COOMBS.

Appropriates \$100,000 to complete the construction of the state highway between Hopland, Mendocino County and Lakeport, Lake County.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 45. COOMBS.

Amends Sec. 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to property exempt from execution or attachment. Exempts one automobile, one auto truck and one motorcycle; all bonds of the United States issued subsequent to 1916 not exceeding \$5,000 par value; all state, county, municipal and school district bonds up to \$5,000 par value; all real property, under certain conditions, not exceeding \$5,000 in value, exclusive of improvements. Does not exempt any property, mentioned in the section, from sale by a trustee where same is pledged in security of a loan.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 46. COOMBS.

Amends Sec. 613 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to deliberations of the jury in civil actions. Provides that where a jury is composed of both sexes, it may be in charge of different officers, occupy different rooms, but not discuss the case nor deliberate upon a verdict while so separated.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 47. COOMBS.

Amends Sec. 607 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to procedure in the trial of a civil action. Provides that where the case is argued, unless the burden is upon the defendant, he must commence and may conclude the argument.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 48. COOMBS.

Amends Sec. 953c of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to transcripts on appeal to the supreme court. Provides that with the filing of briefs on appeal the parties must, when the appeal is not upon a bill of exceptions, furnish such portions of the record as they may desire to call to the attention of the court. Provides that brief and record may be typewritten under rules of the court. Eliminates the provisions of the present section relative to printed briefs.

To Committee on Judiciary.

(See A. B. 38, Bromley, amending same section.)

A. B. 49. COOMBS.

Amends Sec. 649 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to bill of exceptions upon appeal in civil cases. Provides that a bill excepting to any decision must be presented within the time allowed for taking an appeal in the action (now, within ten days after written notice of making such decision).

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 50. COOMBS.

Amends Sec. 650 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to bill of exceptions upon appeal in civil cases. Provides that the draft of a bill of exceptions may be served upon the adverse party at any time within that allowed for taking an appeal in the action. (Now, at any time after the trial, and within ten days after the entry of judgment, or notice of the entry of judgment.) The bill of exceptions may be made from a transcript prepared in lieu of the manner provided in Sec. 953c, Code of Civil Procedure, but if so prepared must be printed.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 51. COOMBS.

Appropriates \$3,000 to pay premiums at county fairs for the seventy-fourth and seventy-fifth fiscal years in agricultural district 25. The years probably should be the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

A. B. 52. CLARKE.

Amends Sec. 4286 of the Political Code, Mono County Government Bill. **Changes** the salary of the treasurer to \$1,500 per annum (now \$1,000). **Changes** the salary of the district attorney to \$1,500 per annum (now \$1,200), also the salary of the superintendent of schools to \$600 per annum (now \$400).

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 53. LYMAN.

Amends Sec. 1723 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the termination of life estates. Provides that: "If any person has died, or shall hereafter die, who at the time of his death was the owner of a life estate or interest in land, any person interested in the land, or in the title thereto, in which such life estate was held," may file, etc. (Present section sets out in detail the interests one may have in a life estate.) Provides that notice of hearing shall be given in each county where any portion of the land is situated in the same manner as in the county where petition is filed (now, only in the county where petition is filed). **Eliminates** the provision that written notice of hearing, with copy of petition, must be served upon any person named in the petition as representative, etc. Provides, further, that the court shall make its decree showing the fact and date of death, if so established, and the nature of the estate or interest so terminated and that if the estate terminated was in joint tenancy, a copy of the notice of hearing of the petition shall be served upon the State Controller at least five days before the time set for the hearing of the petition.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 54. EDWIN BAKER.

Amends Sec. 589 of the Political Code. **Changes** the salary of the insurance commissioner from \$6,000 to \$4,000.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 55. EDWIN BAKER.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2886.

Amends Sec. 10 of the Railroad Commission Act of 1915. **Changes** the annual salary of each commissioner to \$6,000 (now \$8,000).

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 56. FOSTER.

Amends Sec. 3756 of the Political Code, relating to the time at which taxes become delinquent. Changes the hour of the day on which taxes become delinquent from 6 o'clock p.m. to 5 o'clock p.m.

To Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

A. B. 57. PEDROTTI AND EMME. Deer. Gen. L. No. 2741a.

(For full text, see Stats. 1913, p. 469.)

Amends Sec. 6 of the Act of 1913, to establish police courts in cities of the first and one-half class, etc. Changes the number of deputy clerks in such courts from eleven to fourteen and provides that seven (now six) deputy clerks shall be **elected** by the judges of the court. The act now provides for appointment by the presiding judge.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 58. PEDROTTI AND EMME.

Amends Sec. 103 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to justices of the peace, etc. Provides that two or more (now, two) justice courts may be established in any township where, in the opinion of the board of supervisors, public convenience requires them. Provides seven (now, five) justices of the peace for cities of the first and one-half class (Los Angeles) and fixes the salaries of justices of the peace in certain classes of cities. Provides for appointment of the additional justices.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 59. EMME.

Adds Sec. 653f to the Penal Code, relating to landlord and tenant. Provides that any person in any city owning or having in charge any apartment house, tenement, or other building used for dwelling purposes, who **refuses** to rent any, or part of such building to any person or family solely on the grounds of having **children**, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor. Provides penalty for conviction thereof.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 60. DOUGLAS.

Appropriates \$225,000 for the construction of a bridge across the Klamath River in Del Norte County.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 61. WILLIAMS.

Amends Sec. 2322a of the Pol. Code, relating to the duties of county horticultural commissioners. The section as amended places upon the county horticultural commissioner the duty of eradicating all noxious weeds including Russian thistle, Johnson grass, red rice, puncture vine, water grass, weeds or grasses detrimental to rice culture, etc. In subdivision 3 all reference to such noxious weeds is eliminated as it would be unnecessary to declare the lands on which they exist to be public nuisances when it is his duty to eradicate them.

The section as it now stands requires that the owner of the property upon which such weeds exist must eradicate them upon notice by the county horticultural commissioner to do so.

To Committee on Agriculture.

A. B. 62. WILLIAMS.

Appropriates \$670,000 for the construction of the last unit of the Yosemite Valley highway between Briceburg and El Portal, Mariposa County.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 63. DOZIER.

Repeals Sec. 591 of the Political Code, relating to the maintenance of office and contingent expenses of the insurance commissioner.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 64. LYMAN.

Amends Sec. 1269a of the Civil Code, relating to petitions for sale or mortgage of homestead where husband or wife is insane. **Adds the provision** that a homestead may be sold or mortgaged, "whenever it appears it is for the advantage, benefit and best interest of the spouses, the estate or their dependents."

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 65. LYMAN.

Amends Sec. 674 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the filing of transcripts of judgments. **Adds the following provision:** "that no such lien shall continue or be in force after five years from the time of rendition of such judgment."

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 66. EDWIN BAKER.

Amends Sec. 925 of the Penal Code, relating to proceedings before the grand jury. **Eliminates the provision** that the grand jury, on the demand of the district attorney, in criminal cases, must appoint a stenographic reporter, etc. **Adds the provision** that no stenographic reporter shall be present during any session of the grand jury, or receive any compensation except an official reporter of the superior court, or an official reporter pro tem.; and provides, further, that the official reporter or official reporter pro tem. shall be appointed by the judge in charge of the grand jury, and that such reporters shall receive not to exceed \$10 per day for reporting; for transcribing, the rates fixed by Sec. 274 of the Code of Civil Procedure shall be allowed.

The last line in the title should be eliminated.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 67. EDWIN BAKER.

Adds Secs. 1280a and 1280b to the Penal Code, relating to justification of bail. This is a companion bill to S. B. 24. **For digest see S. B. 24.**

To Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

A. B. 68. MORRISON.

Appropriates \$180,000 for the purpose of paying one-half the expenses of maintenance of the fire boats "David Seannell" and "Dennis Sullivan," owned by the city of San Francisco, including salary of officers, firemen and crew.

The dates appearing in Sec. 5 should be changed.

To Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

A. B. 69. SCHMIDT.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2331b.

Amends Secs. 13, 22 and 24 of the "Vehicle Act" of 1915.

Adds to Sec. 13 the provision that where a vehicle shall be towed or drawn by another, there shall be used or displayed between the two ears, on the tow iron, a red flag not less than 16 inches square. **The amendment to Sec. 22** changes the rate of speed from thirty to twenty-five miles an hour, except in the day time, etc.; and provides that in no case shall any vehicle be operated at a speed in excess of thirty miles an hour (now thirty-five). Provides penalties for the violation of the provisions relative to speed regulations; provides further, that no person shall pass a street car being driven in the same direction, which has come to a stop. **Adds to Sec. 24** a provision for the issuance of operator's license, the operators to be examined concerning their mental and physical qualifications and their knowledge of the Vehicle Act. **Provides** that no license shall in any event be granted to a person under the age of 18 years. Requires that every person licensed whether as a chauffeur or operator shall at

all times be in the possession of his license certificate. **Provides penalties for violations.**

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

A. B. 70. ROSENSHINE.

Amends Sec. 1881 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to confidential communications and the competency of witnesses. **Adds to subdivision 1 the provision** that either husband or wife may be examined against the other, without the other's consent, in any action brought by a creditor of either spouse against the other, to set aside the transfer of any property by the debtor to such other spouse, or in any action involving the validity as against creditor of any such transfer, but this provision shall not permit testimony as to confidential communications between the spouses.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 71. FOSTER.

New General Law. Authorizes the State Treasurer to make a loan of \$300,000 to the California Highway Commission for the purpose of improving the "Sierra-to-the-Sea" state highway, between San Lucas and Sequoia National Park. **Provides** the manner in which such loan shall be returned, and for the payment of interest thereon.

See Constitution, Art. IV, Sec. 22, which this seems to be in conflict with.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 72. DONOHUE.

Amends Sec. 2620 of the Political Code. **Provides** that where it shall appear to the board of supervisors that any road of general utility and of public convenience constitutes the only or principal means of communication between one town and another in the same county, and when it has been determined by the board of supervisors that the public convenience demands the acquisition and reconstruction of such road, the board may proceed to acquire and reconstruct the same, although it may not be forty feet wide. **The present section provides** that the width of all public highways shall be at least forty feet.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 73. CLARKE.

Stats. 1921 P. 1608.

Amends Mother Lode Highway Act of 1921, changing the routing of said highway.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 74. NOYES.

New General Law. Seeks to make initiative, referendum, and recall applicable to Levee Distriet No. 1 in Sutter County and prescribing procedure therefor.

To Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

A. B. 75. LYMAN.

Amends Sec. 1190 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to mechanics liens. When credit is given, requires notice of the fact and terms of such credit to be filed with the county recorder subsequent to filing of such lien and prior to expiration of ninety day period.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 76. LYMAN.

Amends Sec. 671a of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to filing judgments of United States courts. Makes such judgment a lien for five years unless satisfied or lien otherwise discharged. In no case more than **five** years after rendition of judgment.

To Committee on Judieiary.

A. B. 77. CLEVELAND.

Amends Secs. 92 and 124 and repeals Secs. 94 to 106, both inclusive, of the Civil Code, relating to divorce. The amendment to Sec. 92 provides for but two grounds of divorce, adultery and conviction of a felony and **eliminates** extreme cruelty, wilful desertion, wilful neglect and habitual intemperance, as causes for divorce. See. 124 **Eliminates** the third ground for denying divorce, namely when there is an unreasonable lapse of time before commencement of action. The **sections eliminated** refer to extreme cruelty, desertion, consent to desertion and wife abiding by husband's selection of home.

To Committee on Public Morals.

A. B. 78. BERNARD.

Appropriates \$75,000 for completion of the highway system in Trinity, Tehama and Shasta counties connecting with the road system of Humboldt county.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 79. REINDOLLAR.

Deer. Gen. Law Sup. No. 1770a.

Adds Sec. 19x25 to Juvenile Court Law. The existing section 19x25 is exactly the same as the proposed section and no change is made.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 80. REINDOLLAR.

Amends Sec. 4251 of the Political Code. Marin county government act.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 81. FELLOW.

New General Law. Provides a general scheme for the use of voting machines in accordance with Sec. 6 of article II, of the constitution, and for the manner of the use of such machines. Governor, Secretary of State and Attorney General compose state commission for examination of voting machines and must pass on all machines. The machines are to preserve to the voter all the present rights and privileges. The additional feature is that the machines contain a protective device showing any tampering with ballot before or after election. All local and state election laws and charter provisions in conflict with this act are repealed. Penalties for violations are provided.

To Committee on Elections.

A. B. 82. FULWIDER.

New General Law. To be known as the "State Housing Act," and repeals the "State Tenement House Act," of 1917, "State Hotel and Lodging House Act," of 1917, and "State Dwelling House Act," of 1917. This bill is too lengthy for a complete digest in the time at our disposal; it contains many of the features of the "State Housing Act," which was number five on the ballot at the general election held November 7, 1922. Several of the objectionable features contained in that act have been eliminated from this bill.

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

A. B. 83. HEISINGER.

Amends Secs. 1618 and 1619 of the Code of Civil Procedure. By the amendment to Sec. 1618 the fixed scale of fees for executors and administrators is done away with and the court given power to allow just and reasonable compensation. The amendment to Sec. 1619 eliminates the fee rate for attorneys and power is given to the court to allow just and reasonable compensation.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 84. FELLOW.

Deer. Gen. Law No. 1038.

Amends Secs. 11 and 19 of act of 1913, regulating private employment agencies. The amendment to Sec. 11 requires additional statements to be made on the receipt given the applicant for employment, namely—whether any labor trouble exists at place of employment, the

conditions of employment as to sanitary conditions and compliance with labor laws, and whether the work is permanent or temporary, and any other agreement between the agency and applicant. Fees and expenses must be repaid applicant in event of failure of the applicant to procure employment. Each employer must give reasons for refusing to hire applicant. The amendment to Sec. 19 provides that all controversies arising under the act shall be referred to the Commissioner of Labor, subject to appeal to the superior court.

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

A. B. 85. FELLOW.

Deer. Gen. Law. No. 1038.

Adds Sec. 11a to the act of 1913, regulating private employment agencies. Said section **provides** that a uniform schedule of fees must be filed by every licensed employment agency with the Commissioner of Labor, and such schedule shall be printed in large type and posted conspicuously in the employment agency. Prohibits the charging of a fee in excess of the fee as scheduled.

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

A. B. 86. FELLOW.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1038.

Adds Sec. 11½ to the act of 1913, regulating private employment agencies. **Provides** no fee shall be charged which is in excess of 7 per cent of the first month's wages, or for a lesser period, for labor classed as manual labor or 10 per cent for labor classed as semi-manual labor. **Exempts** from provisions, teachers employment agencies.

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

A. B. 87. DOUGLAS.

Purports to validate the Klamath-Shasta Valley Irrigation District.
To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 88. MRS. WOODBRIDGE.

Deer. Gen. Law Sup. No. 1537.

Amends Sec. 1 of the act of 1911, limiting the hours of employment of females, by substituting "or industry" for "mercantile establishment" on page 2 of the printed bill, lines 5 and 15.

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

A. B. 89. FELLOW.

Amends Sec. 190 Penal Code. Does away with the death penalty except for murder committed while suffering confinement for a previous murder in the first degree.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 90. MOORE.

Adds Sec. 737dd to Political Code. Increases salaries of superior court judges in Humboldt County from \$4,000, to \$6,000.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 91. DUVAL.

Amends Sec. 3769 of Political Code Eliminates filing notice required in 3765 and adds filing the notice required in 3897 and 3897a, of the Political Code; requires a printer's affidavit to be filed, or affidavit of posting in event there is no newspaper.

To Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

A. B. 92. SMITH.

Amends Sec. 1469 Code Civil Procedure. Changes amount of estate that may be assigned to widow and minor children from \$2,500 to \$5,000.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 93. MUELLER.

New General Law. Grants certain tide lands in San Diego Bay to National City for harbor purposes. Certain reservations are made to the state.

To Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

A. B. 94. FELLOM.

New General Law. Provides that citizens or those who have declared their intentions of becoming citizens, whose assets do not exceed \$1,000 and whose income does not exceed \$1,800 a year, may purchase homes on a plan similar to the "Veterans' farm and home purchase act," of 1921. (Stats. 1921, p. 815.) The Commission of Immigration and Housing is vested with the administration of the provisions of the act. A general plan of procedure is provided and the sum of \$2,000,000 is appropriated for the purposes of the act.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

A. B. 95. LYONS.

New General Law. Provides for the establishment of public rating bureaus for the purpose of ascertaining rates and the risk of fire hazards on property; prescribes rules and procedure for conducting such bureaus and prescribes penalties. All fire or lightning insurance companies must inspect any risk insured. The insurance commissioner is given the power of inspection over such bureaus. **Requires** all fire insurance companies to file rating schedules unless such company has accepted schedule of a rating bureau of which the company is a

member. Also, **requires** fire insurance companies to file schedules of commissions paid to agents, brokers, etc. **Repeals** all acts in conflict.

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 96. COOMBS.

Amends Sec. 1249 of the C. C. P. by adding the following paragraph beginning with line 24, page 1 of the bill, to and including line 8, page 2:

"In the trial of cases for condemnation the defendant may introduce evidence showing that, in case of judgment against him, he would, by reason of state or federal law, be compelled to pay to the state or to the federal government some portion thereof, and the said amount going to the state or federal government may be ascertained by the court, or jury, and, in such case, such amount shall be added to the amount of actual compensation and damages and paid at the same time and in the same manner, so that the amount to be retained by the defendant, as owner, shall be exclusive and in full compensation for his lands."

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 97. COOMBS.

Deer. Gen. Law No. 2143e.

Amends Sec. 33 of the "Workmen's Compensation Act," of 1917. **Changes** the definitions of the words "place of employment," "employment" and "employer." **Changes** the definition of "place of employment" as follows: On page 1, line 14 of the printed bill, adds "enterprise, project," in lines 15, 16 and 17, page 1, changes to read as follows: "Excavation, demolition and construction work and where any person is employed by another, or suffered or permitted to work for hire." **Changes** the definition of "employment" to also include "enterprise and project" and "excavation and demolition" and leaves out the exemption of persons employed solely in household domestic service. In the definition of "employer" it adds the words "direction" on line 5 of page 2, and "management" on line 6. The remaining definitions are unchanged.

The probable effect of the amendment is to extend the application of the act and to increase the class of employees who will be benefited.

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 98. SCHMIDT.

Amends Sec. 2777 Civil Code. In line 3, page 1 of the printed bill **adds** the words "or insures" and on lines 4, 5 and 6 **adds** the words "or against negligence of the latter, or against liability, claims, demands or damages therefor." **The effect** of the amendment is to extend the application of the section as to the acts which are indemnified or insured against.

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 99. CLEVELAND.

New General Law. Provides that any fabric purporting to contain wool must be labeled showing the exact percentage of wool contained and prescribes penalties for the violation of its provisions. The bill provides that its provisions are to take effect January 1, 1924.

To Committee on Manufacturers.

A. B. 100. FOX.

Amends Sec. 1810c Code of Civil Procedure. Amendment relates to the compromise of disputed claims of minors for money against a third person. The amendment provides that if the amount compromised for is less than \$1,000 the court may order the money paid to the father or mother of the minor, but if the amount is over \$1,000 a general guardian must be appointed. No court fee shall be charged where the amount is less than \$1,000.

Amendment would probably allow court fees for placing matter on calendar and also other costs where amount is over \$1,000.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 101. FOX.

Amends Sec. 1810b Code of Civil Procedure. Provides that if the court approves a contract for attorney's fees with a minor such contract is valid, and when a guardian is appointed he may make application to the court to approve the contract for attorney's fees and attorney's fees chargeable against a minor shall be paid in accordance with the contract. Leaves out the provision that if a judgment recovered by a minor is not in excess of \$500 and the guardian *ad litem* is a blood relation such judgment may be paid to the guardian *ad litem* without bond. At present the section provides that all contracts with a minor for attorney's fees are void.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 102. EDWIN BAKER.

Appropriates \$15,000 to publish a legislative manual and state blue book, 10,000 copies to be compiled or caused to be compiled by the Secretary of State. Provides for distribution and repeals all laws in conflict.

To Committee on Revision and Printing.

A. B. 103. EDWIN BAKER.

Amends Sec. 596 Penal Code. The amendment consists of the following added provision in lines 6 to 12 inclusive of the printed bill: "or who sets, or causes to be set, a trap and who thereby catches in said trap, any dog or other animal, the property of another, and who maliciously either shoots at, or causes to be shot at, with intent to kill, or

who maleiciously shoots and kills, or causes to be shot and killed, any dog or animal, the property of another.”

To Committee on Agriculture.

A. B. 104. CLEVELAND.

Amends Sec. 602 of Penal Code by adding a new subdivision (j); making it a misdemeanor to go upon inclosed lands of another, without permission, having in one's possession any fire arms, brass nails, brass tacks, or any poison which will destroy vegetable or animal life.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 105. EDWIN BAKER.

Deer. Gen. Law No. 297.

Amends Sec. 120 of the Bank Act of 1909. Cuts the salary of the superintendent of banks from \$10,000 to \$7,500 per annum.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 106. ROSENSHINE.

New General Law. Provides the following method for the acquisition by the state of redwood groves: Any person may deposit with the state treasurer a sum of money with a declaration that he desires certain lands, a description of which accompanies the sum deposited, for use as a redwood park and designating a name therefor. Upon such deposit the state treasurer shall report such fact to the governor who shall cause the state engineer to appraise such land and make a written report on the same. Whenever, in the opinion of the state engineer, the sum deposited is equal to the value of the land the governor shall require the attorney general to **condemn** such land for park purposes; in such proceedings the attorney general **shall associate with him any attorney named by the person depositing the money.**

Should the judgment in such action exceed the amount deposited the person depositing the money may **add** to the original sum an amount sufficient to cover the judgment and all costs and expenses; if **no deposit** is made the judgment shall be set aside and judgment for costs given the defendant and the amount remaining in the treasury shall be returned to the depositor. If the amount deposited exceeds the amount of the judgment the residue shall be paid to the depositor.

To Committee on Conservation.

A. B. 107. ROSENSHINE.

Amends Sec. 1549 Code of Civil Procedure. The amendment leaves out the word “successively” which would occur between the words “weeks” and “before” in line 9 on page 1 of the printed bill. The effect is to not require successive publication of the notice.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 108. ROSENSHINE.

Amends Sec. 1597 Code of Civil Procedure. The amendment omits the following from the section as it now stands (line 6, page 1) "and in all cases when such decedent, if living, might be compelled to make such conveyance or transfer."

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 109. EDWIN BAKER.

Amends Secs. 78 and 90 of the Pol. Code. Provides for reapportionment of senate and assembly districts under the 1920 census.

To Committee on Reapportionment.

A. B. 110. BADHAM.

Adds Sec. 36a to Civil Code. Provides that a minor over the age of 16 can not disaffirm a valid contract of life insurance when the insurance is for his or near relatives' benefit, nor any lien on such contract in favor of the insurer. Section does not apply to a promissory note given by a minor for payment of first year's premiums.

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 111. CARLSON.

Amends Sec. 330 Penal Code. The amendment leaves out the enumeration of gambling games prohibited, and makes the section general. The probable effect is to make all gambling games unlawful.

To Committee on Public Morals.

A. B. 112. McDOWELL.

Deer. Gen. Law Sup. No. 4340.

Amends Sec. 11 of the Water Commission Act of 1913. All the matter on page 4 of the printed bill beginning with "and provided," in line 7 to and including line 16, is added. The amendment provides that where lands were under successive lease on June 13, 1913, for a period of one year or more under which no rights were reserved to the lessor for beneficial use of water, the period of ten consecutive years after which the water rights revert to the state shall be exclusive of the period of such lease.

To Committee on Conservation.

A. B. 113. REINDOLLAR.

Deer. Gen. Law Sup. No. 3351.

Amends Secs. 8 and 17 of the Sanitary District Act of 1919. Amendment to Sec. 8 omits the provisions for the assessment of property within the district not fully benefited, according to benefits

received. The **probable effect** of the change is to provide a uniform assessment on all lands within the district. The amendment to Sec. 17 omits the provision that the total amount of bonds issued shall not exceed 10 per cent of the assessed value of the district.

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

A. B. 114. REINDOLLAR.

Appropriates \$5,000 for each of the next two fiscal years for the purpose of forest fire prevention in Tamalpais forest fire district (Marin County) on condition that said district makes a like appropriation.

To Committee on Conservation.

A. B. 115. REINDOLLAR.

New General Law. Permits municipal corporations wholly within the boundaries of any municipal water district, on a four-fifths vote of the legislative body thereof, to sell, lease or transfer the control and management of water works for a valuable consideration and prescribes the procedure therefor. Reserves the referendum on all such ordinances.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 116. REINDOLLAR.

New General Law. **Purports to validate** bonds of sanitary districts voted for by two-thirds of the qualified electors of the district. Does not seek to validate bonds sold for less than par.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 117. NOYES.

Adds Sec. 4270a to Political Code. **Provides** for surveyor's salary in Sutter county. The Sutter county government act. Sec. 4270, Political Code, is not amended but the surveyor's salary is increased by the addition of a new section.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 118. FELLOW.

Amends Secs. 78 and 90 of Political Code, relating to reapportionment of senate and assembly districts.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Reapportionment.

A. B. 119. WEST.

Amends Sec. 848 Code Civil Procedure. Omits the words "in writing" in subdivision 2, which would appear between the words "contracted" and "to" in line 9 of the printed bill. The effect of the amendment is to make the section apply to oral as well as written contracts.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 120. COOMBS.

Appropriates \$100,000 for the state highway from Middletown to Lower Lake in Lake county.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 121. CHRISTIAN.

Adds Secs. 3650a and 3764a to Political Code. Sec. 3650a provides for the preparation and publication by the county assessor of a list of all real property exempt from taxation. Sec. 3764a provides for the publication of such list on or before the eighth day of June of each year in the same paper in which the delinquent tax list is published.

To Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

A. B. 122. CHRISTIAN.

Deer. Gen. Law Sup. No. 2331b.

Amends Sec. 15 of The Vehicle Act of 1915. In subdivision c increases the weight per inch of channel base widths of tires on all horse-drawn vehicles, whether tire is of metal or not, from 500 to 700 pounds. Change is found on page 2 of the printed bill beginning with "provided" on line 21 to and including the word "section" on line 25.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

A. B. 123. CHRISTIAN.

Repeals Sec. 1835 of the Code of Civil Procedure. Said section reads as follows:

"That evidence is deemed satisfactory which ordinarily produces moral certainty or conviction in an unprejudiced mind. Such evidence alone will justify a verdict. Evidence less than this is denominated slight evidence."

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 124. MORRIS.

New General Law. Authorizes the directors of a cemetery corporation when the cemetery has been abandoned under the provisions of the Cemetery Act of 1921 (Deer. Gen. Law Sup. No. 548a), and the

bodies removed at the expense of such corporation, to reimburse any individuals who have removed bodies at their own expense.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 125. ROSENSHINE.

Amends Sec. 437 of the Code of Civil Procedure. Eliminates the provision that the denial must be specific if the complaint is verified and does away with the provision that a general denial is sufficient if the complaint is not verified.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 126. T. A. MITCHELL.

Adds Sec. 383b to Penal Code. Provides for the correct labeling of paints and prescribes penalties for the violation of the section; vests the enforcement of the act in the State Board of Health with power to analyze any paints and makes an appropriation of \$10,000 for the purpose of the act. This act is more specific as to labeling requirements than the present act prohibiting adulterating of paints found on page 720 of the appendix in the Penal Code. The appropriation made is for the year ending June 1922 and June 1923. This should probably be changed to the fiscal year of 1923 and 1924.

To Committee on Manufacturers.

A. B. 127. WRIGHT.

New General Law. Declaring highway extending from San Jose to Mount Hamilton in Santa Clara county to be a state highway and appropriating \$200,000 for the improvement of such highway on condition that Santa Clara county appropriates a like sum.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 128. CLEVELAND.

Deer. Gen. Law Sup. No. 2799.

Repeals the act of 1919 creating an industrial farm for women and **provides** that the tract of land occupied by such farm shall be used for the benefit of shell-shocked veterans of the World War; **provides further,** that all money appropriated for the farm and remaining unspent shall be used for the same purpose.

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

A. B. 129. EMME.

Deer. Gen. Law No. 2741a.

Adds two new sections, 5a and 5b, to the Police Court Act of 1913. Sec. 5a **provides** for the creation of a "special cases department" to have jurisdiction of all cases involving charges brought against or involving females. Sec. 5b **repeals** all acts in conflict with such provision.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 130. WELLER.

Amends 4300d of Political Code. The amendment changes the amount allowed constables and marshals for keeping personal property from \$2.00 to \$3.00.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 131. POMEROY.

Deer. Gen. Law No. 2348.

Amends Secs. 851, 855, 882, 883 and 884 of the Municipal Corporations Act of 1883, by doing away with the office of recorder and the recorder's court and providing instead for a police judge and for a police court.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 132. BROMLEY.

Deer. Gen. Law No. 2331b.

Amends the Motor Vehicle Act of 1915.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

A. B. 133. BROMLEY.

Amends Sec. 1142 of the Political Code. The amendment to the section provides that the supervisors must designate the polling places for the precinct at the time the precinct officers are designated. The amendment occurs in lines 1 to 4, both inclusive, on page 2 of the printed bill.

To Committee on Elections.

A. B. 134. STEVENOT.

Makes an appropriation to pay the claim of J. B. Curtin. The amount is left blank.

To Committee on Claims.

A. B. 135. MATHEWS.

Amends Secs. 320 to 323 inclusive and adds Sec. 325a to the Penal Code. In the sections amended, in addition to declaring the acts enumerated a misdemeanor, a penalty is prescribed of a fine of not less than \$250 nor more than \$1,000, or by imprisonment for not less than six months nor more than one year, or by both. Sec. 325a makes the possession of a lottery ticket a misdemeanor.

To Committee on Public Morals.

A. B. 136. CLARKE.

New General Law. Declares the highway from Bishop in Inyo county to the Nevada state line to be a state highway and appropriates \$15,000 for its improvement.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 137. WILLIAMS.

New General Law. Declares the Mariposa Big Trees road in Mariposa county, to be "a part of the 'seven per cent highway system.'"

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 138. DOZIER.

Deer. Gen. Law Sup. No. 1726.

Amends Sec. 25 and adds Sec. 61d to the Irrigation District Act of 1897. Sec. 25 provides that a vacancy in the office of director shall be filled by a special election instead of by appointment by the board of supervisors as at present. Sec. 61d provides that the district may incur no debt unless provision to pay the same has been made by a bond issue on a four-fifths vote of the directors or preceding annual tax levy. The powers of the directors as now contained in Sec. 61 are not affected by the provisions of Sec. 61d.

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 139. MISS BROUGHTON.

Amends Sec. 170 Code Civil Procedure. In subdivision 5 of the present section the provision providing for the disqualification of a judge or justice in the county or township in which is located any reclamation, levee, swamp land or drainage district, to sit or act in an action concerning such district or any public agent, trustee, officer or employee thereof, is omitted.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 140. MISS BROUGHTON.

Amends Secs. 1401 and 1402 Civil Code. The amendment to Sec. 1401 provides that one half of the community property belongs to the surviving spouse, the other half being subject to the disposition of the decedent; in the absence of any disposition it also goes to the surviving spouse. The amendment to Sec. 1402 provides that community property passing from the husband's control by his death or by virtue of the wife's testamentary disposition is subject to administration, but in case of such disposition by the wife the husband shall retain his power over the community property pending administration. After 40 days from the death of the wife the husband is given full power over the community real property unless it is claimed under the wife's will by a recorded notice to that effect.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 141. EDWIN BAKER.

Signed by the Governor. Chapter 2.

A. B. 142. DEAN.

Deer. Gen. Law Sup. No. 2143e.

Amends section 18 of Workmen's Compensation Act of 1917. The amendment occurs in subdivision d, beginning with the word "or" in line 23 and ending with the words "of 1919" in line 27. The added provision would allow the employee to attach the employer's property when the employer has failed to "secure" (insure or make secure) the payment of insurance.

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 143. DEAN.

Adds Sec. 4236 to Political Code. Provides that no person shall be appointed as deputy sheriff who is not a citizen of the state and has not been a citizen for at least one year preceding his appointment.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 144. LYMAN.

Adds Sec. 330a to Penal Code. Makes any one operating, or allowing to be operated, or owning premises on which is operated, slot machines, dice or card games whereby chances are taken on money or merchandise, guilty of a misdemeanor.

To Committee on Public Morals.

A. B. 145. DAVIS.

Purports to validate certain bonds of Mount Signal union school district in Imperial County.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 146. DAVIS.

Purports to validate bonds of Brawley union high school district.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 147. POMEROY.

New General Law. Regulates the discharge of sewerage into ocean, bays, harbors or inlets.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

A. B. 148. WILLIAMS.

Amends Sec. 1667 of Political Code. Requires Bible instruction in the public schools, using either the King James or the Douay version.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 149. WHEELER.

Amends Sec. 3440 of the Civil Code. The amendment to the section occurs on page 2 of the printed bill, beginning with the words "and any" in line 29 to and including the words, "as aforesaid" in line 33. The probable effect will be to make an auctioneer personally liable for any damage to a creditor for selling the goods of a merchant when the notice required has not been recorded.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 150. McPHERSON.

New General Law. Declares the improved county highway in Napa and Solano county extending from a point in Napa county where such highway intersects the state highway from the city of Sacramento, to the city of Vallejo, and thence to the Straits of Carquinez to be a state highway.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 151. NOYES.

New General Law. Provides for the payment of retirement salaries of \$6,000 per annum to judges of courts of record who have served for 20 years; such judges shall perform any judicial duties when requested to do so by the (chief) justice of the supreme court or the governor.

Defect. The word "justice" in line 24, page 1, should probably read "justices" to conform with the word "justices" on page 2, line 1.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 152. WRIGHT.

Amends Sec. 1623 of the Political Code. Declares boards of school trustees, high school boards, junior college boards and boards of education to be liable for injuries to pupils arising on the playgrounds, in connection with school work, or going to or coming from school; that members of such boards are not personally liable; that principal must file a monthly report as to the condition of buildings, grounds and apparatus. **Probable effect** is to fix definitely on the district the liability for injuries to pupils while on the grounds or going to and from school.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 153. WRIGHT.

New General Law. Provides that when a state land settlement colony has been established in a school district and real property thereby withdrawn from taxation the state shall reimburse the school district in the amount lost by such withdrawal.

See Sec. 22 of article IV of constitution.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 154. HAWES.

New General Law. Provides that persons being hired for work outside the state shall be furnished with a complete description as to details, conditions and circumstances attendant upon such employment; violation is made a misdemeanor with a fine of not more than \$2,000 or imprisonment for not more than one year, or both.

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

A. B. 155. DOZIER.

Amends Sec. 4264 of the Political Code. Shasta county government act.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 156. ROBERTS.

Amends Sec. 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure. Adds subdivision 21 to the section, whereby one automobile, whether used for business or for pleasure, not over \$1,000 in value, is exempt from execution or attachment, except as noted in last paragraph of the bill.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 157. FOX.

Amends Sec. 1142 of the Political Code. The clause on page 3 of the printed bill, beginning with the words "or who" in line 29 and ending with the word "degree" in line 31 is added. This added clause provides that no one shall be eligible as an election officer who is a candidate for office or related to a candidate by marriage or consanguinity within the second degree.

To Committee on Elections.

A. B. 158. ROSENSHINE.

Amends Sec. 1723 of the Code of Civil Procedure. The change in the section is made on page 1 of the printed bill in lines 23 and 24,

which provides that service of notice of the time and place of hearing of claims against the estate of a decedent need be made only on those named as representative, heirs or devisees who do not join in the petition. The present section requires notice to be served on all representatives, heirs or devisees named in the petition.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 159. MRS. WOODBRIDGE. Deer. Gen. Law Sup. No. 131.
Amends Alien Land Law of 1920.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 160. MORRISON.

Adds Sec. 146a to the Penal Code. Makes the sending of threatening letters, or letters unsigned, or signed with a fictitious name, with the intent to cause annoyance to any person, or sending documents, simulating summons, or processes of the courts, a misdemeanor.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 161. WRIGHT.

New General Law. Provides for the creation of a child welfare research station; gives the regents of the University of California management thereof and appropriates \$50,000 therefor.

To Committee on Universities.

A. B. 162. ROBERTS.

Amends Sec. 113 of the Code of Civil Procedure. Relates to concurrent jurisdiction of superior and justices' courts. Changes the rental value of property in forcible entry and detainer actions from \$25.00 to \$75.00 and the amount of damage from \$200.00 to \$300.00. This amendment would have the effect of increasing the jurisdiction of justices' courts in forcible entry and detainer actions, but can not make the change it purports to without an amendment to the same effect to Sec. 11 of article VI of the constitution, which prescribes the amount of rental value and damages in forcible entry and detainer.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 163. WILLIAMS.

New General Law. Practically the same as A. B. 153 with the addition that a settlement under the California Veterans' Welfare Act is considered for the purposes of this act the same as in state land settlements.

See Sec. 22 of article IV of constitution.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 164. WEST.

Amends Sec. 42361 of the Political Code, relating to justices and constables in counties of the seventh class. The amendment **provides** for the ascertainment and establishment of townships in counties of the seventh class (Sacramento) and **provides** for the salaries of constables and justices of the peace. The bill contains an urgency clause which states that the county auditors in counties of this class have refused to pay the salaries of the justices of the peace and constables of the township.

The **probable effect** of the amendment would be that the salaries provided in the bill would not affect the incumbents in office, whose salaries could not be raised while in office. There is a question also whether the constables and justices of the peace elected and appointed after the provisions of the bill become effective would receive the salaries as provided in the amendment.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 165. PEDROTTI.

Amends Sec. 67a of the Political Code. Increases the number of superior court judges in Los Angeles county from 22 to 30 and **provides** for the appointment of seven additional judges.

The bill is defective in that it has no section 1.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 166. ROSENSHINE.

Amends Sec. 632 of the Code of Civil Procedure. Changes existing section in that it expressly provides that the court's decision upon the trial of a question of fact may be general or special and that a general decision need not be written. **Eliminates** the requirement that the decision must be written and filed 30 days after submission to the court.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 167. ROSENSHINE.

Amends Sec. 633 of the Code of Civil Procedure. Provides that a special decision must be in writing and the findings must be served on all parties to the action before being signed by the court.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 168. ROSENSHINE.

Amends Sec. 664 of the Code of Civil Procedure. Changes existing section by providing that when a trial is had by the court the judgment must not be entered immediately if the court shall grant a stay of execution. The added matter consist of the following in lines 9

and 10 of the bill: "unless the court shall grant a stay of proceedings."

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 169. ROSENSHINE.

Repeals Sec. 634 of the C. C. P., relating to waiver of findings of fact. Said section reads as follows: "Findings of fact may be waived by several parties to an issue of fact: (1) By failing to appear at the trial; (2) by consent in writing filed with the clerk; (3) by oral consent in open court, entered in the minutes. In all cases where the court directs a party to prepare findings, a copy of said proposed findings shall be served upon all the parties to the action at least five days before findings shall be signed by the court, and the court shall not sign any findings therein prior to the expiration of such five days." **This repeal would eliminate findings.**

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 170. ROSENSHINE.

Amends Sec. 633 of the C. C. P., relating to vacation of judgment. Carries out the provisions of A. B. 166 and A. B. 167, amending Sees. 632 and 633 of the C. C. P., making special provision for general and special decisions. In specifying grounds for vacation of judgment, makes subdivision 1 apply to special decisions, subdivision 2 to special verdicts and adds subdivision 3, creating a new ground, namely, when pleading, upon which judgment or decree is based, fails to state a cause of action or a defense, and in such case the party may amend and a new trial may be granted. This section is rearranged and additions made to make it conform with the proposed amendments to Sec. 632 and Sec. 633 of the C. C. P.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 171. ROSENSHINE.

Amends Sec. 633a of the C. C. P. to conform with Sec. 633 of the C. C. P. as amended in A. B. 170. **Provides** that a party moving to vacate judgment must specify, in a case in which judgment is based on:

1. General decision—particulars in which judgment is not consistent with pleadings or evidence.

2. Special decision—particulars in which conclusions of law are not consistent with the findings of fact.

3. Special verdict of jury—particulars in which judgment is not consistent with special verdict;

and in a case in which pleadings on which judgment is based fails to state a cause of action or a defense—the particulars with respect thereto.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 172. DOUGLAS.

New General Law. Provides that any liability which would attach to a trustee individually for injuries to a pupil shall fall solely upon the school district. This is a companion bill to S. B. 44.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 173. DOUGLAS.

Amends Sec. 1608 of the Pol. Code. Adds subdivision 7 on page 2 of the bill (lines 28 to 32 inclusive), giving the additional power to school trustees and boards of education to insure their districts against liability for injuries to pupils. This is a companion bill to S. B. 43.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 174. DOUGLAS.

Amends Sec. 309 of the Civil Code. Relates to the method of declaring dividends by corporations. The amendment eliminates subdivision 2 of the section added in 1917, which provides that the section shall not apply to causes of action now pending.

To Committee on Corporations.

A. B. 175. DOZIER.

New General Law. Declares the public highway extending from Douglas City, Trinity County, to Peanmit, Trinity County, to be a state highway and appropriates \$150,000 for its improvement.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 176. CLEVELAND.

New General Law. Provides that no state board, state commission or board of supervisors shall appoint any of its members to any position over which they have jurisdiction and that any person **now holding** any lucrative position by such appointment **shall be removed.**

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 177. CLEVELAND.

Appropriates \$150,000 for flood control of the Pajaro River, between the counties of Santa Clara, San Benito, Monterey and Santa Cruz.

To Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

A. B. 178. CLEVELAND.

Appropriates \$2,581.68 to pay the claim of the St. Francis School of Watsonville against the state.

To Committee on Claims.

A. B. 179. CLEVELAND.

Amends Sec. 4255 of the Pol. Code. Santa Cruz County Government Act.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 180. CLEVELAND.

Amends 4042 of the Pol. Code. Relates to the power of supervisors to clear the channel of streams. **Adds** the clause on page 1, beginning with the word "or" in line 5 to and including the word "extends" in line 6, relative to the jurisdiction of the board of supervisors. **Eliminates** the last sentence of the existing section, which gives the supervisors power to increase the general fund for the purpose of clearing streams by taxation or bond issue. **Adds** all of the matter following the word "provided" in lines 14 and 15, page 1 of the printed bill, to and including the word "order" at the end of line 11, page 2. This gives the supervisors power to forbid the planting of willows or other vegetable growths on the banks of streams and to order existing obstructions removed. On failure of the owner to remove such obstructions the board is authorized to remove them and charge the expense thereof to the land owner. **Provides** that the section shall not apply to sediment and vegetable growths now existing, but that the supervisors may declare them to be unlawful. Also authorizes the board to cause inspection to be made by the county surveyor and makes it the duty of the surveyor to make the necessary inspection.

To Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

A. B. 181. CLEVELAND.

New General Law. Provides that boards of education may contract with the federal government to educate disabled veterans of the World War if such expense shall not become a final charge on state, county or local school funds.

To Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs.

A. B. 182. CLEVELAND.

Deer. Gen. Law Sup. No. 1275g.

Amends the California Standard Apple Act of 1921.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Agriculture.

A. B. 183. MRS. WOODBRIDGE.

Appropriates \$3,000 out of money in the state treasury to the credit of the motor vehicle fund to pay the claim of William Kent against the state.

To Committee on Claims.

A. B. 184. MESSRS. CHRISTIAN, DOZIER AND CLEVELAND.

Amends Sec. 396 of the Pol. Code. Imposes the duties of adjutant general upon the lieutenant governor and provides that no additional compensation shall be given. **Repeals** all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 185. MRS. SAYLOR.

Amends Secs. 1586 and 1587 of Penal Code. Amends Sec. 1586 by the **addition** of the matter beginning with the word "and" in line 9, page 1, of the bill to and including the words "to her" in line 14. This addition **provides** that needlework done by women prisoners in San Quentin may be sold and the proceeds placed to their personal credit to be given them upon release. Sec. 1587 is amended to **provide** that a convict shall be furnished with \$15 when he leaves the prison instead of \$5, as at present. The change is made on page 2, line 27 of the bill. At the end of the sentence ending in line 36 on page 2 a sentence is left out which relates to the examination of insane prisoners and the sending of such prisoners to insane asylums but the remaining parts of the section referring to insane prisoners, the clear meanings of which depend upon the sentence which is omitted, are left in the section as amended.

To Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

A. B. 186. MRS. SAYLOR.

Repeals Secs. 2168, 2170, 2171; adds Secs. 2168, 2170, 2171, and amends Secs. 2169 and 2172 of the Pol. Code, relating to the examination and commitment of insane persons to state hospitals. The added sections and amendments **provide** for changes in the manner of commitment and the procedure and for the temporary care of persons mentally deranged.

In Sec. 2168 the form of affidavit and warrant of arrest and the procedure for arrest contained in the present section is omitted and provision made for the examination and commitment of an insane person upon the certificate of examining physicians. The arrest and detaining in custody before examination of an insane person is done away with.

The provisions for the hearing, attendance of medical examiners and witnesses are taken out of Sec. 2169 and included in Sec. 2168

and the proposed Sec. 2169 provides merely that the judges may subpoena witnesses and examine any one believed to be insane. It gives the judge power to compel the attendance of witnesses with none of the limitations contained in the existing section, namely, that witnesses may be subpoenaed **only from within the state** and from outside the county only when the subpoena contains written endorsement by the judge that the witness is material and necessary.

The form of certificate of the medical examiners in Sec. 2170 is left out and a new section substituted which **provides** that any state hospital may receive, on the request of a health officer, a patient who is mentally deranged (except persons suffering from delirium tremens and drunkenness) and care for him for a period not exceeding 10 days after which he shall be removed unless he shall sign a request to remain as a voluntary patient, or if found to be insane, retained as any other insane person after due commitment.

Sec. 2171 omits the form of judgment of insanity, commitment and clerk's certificate and substitutes a provision that any insane hospital may receive and care for any insane person upon presentation of a verified petition of relatives, or of persons residing with such insane person, or officer of a charitable institution. Such person may be kept not more than 15 days unless further detention is deemed necessary.

Sec. 2172 **eliminates** mention of delivery of a copy of the affidavit, warrant of arrest, order of hearing and examination, and statement of judge, to the sheriff on the commitment of an insane person. **Provides** that if no officer of the law accompanies a patient to the hospital, the hospital attendant shall be given authority for the transfer of such patient, to the proper institution after commitment. The expense of conveyance to an institution shall be charged to the patient's estate.

The **probable effect** of this bill will be to do away with the arrest of an insane person for the purpose of examination; and to provide for temporary care without commitment of persons mentally deranged who may recover in a short time if given the proper care.

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

A. B. 187. MRS. SAYLOR.

New General Law. Provides for the establishment of the California Psychopathic Hospitals, a corporation, with hospitals in San Francisco and Los Angeles under the management of a board of five trustees appointed by the governor, for a term of four years; **appropriates** \$80,000, one-half of which is to be expended in the construction and equipment of each hospital. Such hospitals to be for the care and treatment of abnormal mental persons and for inquiry into the causes of insanity. On page 4 of the bill, lines 46 to 52 inclusive, it is provided that **\$200,000 is appropriated** for maintenance of the institution during the "latter half of said biennium." No biennium is mentioned in this section and it is not clear what it

refers to. The bill is also **defective** in that either there is no section 7 or the number of the section is omitted.

See also **Sec. 34** of article **IV** of the constitution.

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

A. B. 188. KLINE.

Appropriates \$5,000 for forest fire prevention in the **San Bernardino Mountains**; the **Board of Control** to enter into contract with the United States forest service for such work.

A. B. 189. POMEROY.

Adds Sec. 68a to the Civil Code and amends **Sec. 69** of the Civil Code. **Sec 68a** provides for the filing of a declaration of intention to marry, with the county clerk at least 30 days before marriage. **Sec. 69**, as amended, **requires** the license to show that such declaration has been filed.

The effect is to require the filing of a declaration of intention to marry at least 30 days before any marriage license may be issued.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 190. POMEROY.

New General Law. Provides for the creation of the "Los Angeles Metropolitan Sewerage District" and the government and powers of the same.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

A. B. 191. POMEROY.

New General Law. **Authorizes** boards of supervisors to establish metropolitan sewerage districts and defines the powers and government of such district.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

A. B. 192. POMEROY.

New General Law. Provides for formation of inter-city planning districts, composed of two or more cities in the same or different counties. Extends the features of the city planning commission act of 1915 (Deer. Gen. L. and Sup. No. 2389j) to districts composed of two or more cities.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 193. POMEROY.

New General Law. Provides that actions for alienation of affections are against public policy and that none shall be brought or maintained. **Repeals** all acts or parts of acts in conflict with act.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 194. FOSTER.

Appropriates \$300,000 for improvement of state highway between Coalinga, Fresno County, and San Lucas, Monterey County.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 195. WILLIAMS.

Appropriates \$200,000 for construction of a highway from Madera, Madera County, to Wawona, Mariposa County. Bill should state whether there is at present such a highway on this route, and if so, whether it is a state highway.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 196. SMITH.

New General Law. Grants certain tidelands along the Oakland water front to the city of Oakland to be held in trust for harbor and navigation purposes on condition that such tidelands shall not be aliened for any purposes, other than by the grant of franchises for limited periods (does not state what period) or lease for a period of not to exceed **fifty years**. The city shall improve such lands, which shall always remain a public harbor, and there shall be no discrimination in rates or facilities. The right of the people to fish in the waters of such harbor is reserved.

To Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

A. B. 197. BROMLEY.

New General Law. Provides for the laying out of camp sites on public lands and withdrawing such lands from sale; for leasing of parcels of such sites at an annual rental to individuals who may erect buildings thereon and remove such structures at the end of the lease. The surveyor general is vested with jurisdiction over such camp sites.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 198. BROMLEY.

Amends Sec. 3408d of Pol. Code. Relates to the sale of indemnity certificates or "script" by the surveyor general. Eliminates the following requirements in such sale:

1. That a person **must** purchase "not less than the smallest legal subdivision of land as shown and indicated on the United States plots.

2. That sale shall be at **public auction**.

3. That sale shall be on first Monday of January, March, May, July, September and November.

4. That no certificate shall be sold in quantities greater than eighty acres.

5. That if land be suitable for cultivation, buyer must be actual settler thereon and is entitled to only three hundred twenty acres.

Eliminates the provision that the surveyor general may continue a sale until the next sale date, which is unnecessary as the sale dates are also eliminated.

The **probable effect** is to afford greater freedom in the sale of "script" by elimination of requirements as to procedure and time of sale and amount of land which may be purchased.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 199. BROMLEY.

Adds Sec. 3805c to Pol. Code. Provides that state lands for which no valid patent has been issued **shall not be assessed** and all assessments on such lands shall be canceled. Not applicable to lands acquired by the state on sale for delinquent taxes, nor to swamp and overflowed lands. But does apply to all public lands sold at auction by the state when encumbered with tax liens.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 200. HEISINGER, CLARKE AND McDOWELL.

Appropriates \$15,000 for the survey of a state highway from Florence Lake, Fresno County, to North Lake, Inyo County.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 201. McMILLAN.

Amends Sec. 3801 of the Pol. Code. Relates to the duties of the tax collector. The following is added to the section as it now stands (beginning on line 10 of the bill to and including line 19): "The auditor shall transmit said list to the assessor who shall thereupon enter upon the proper books of his office the fact that said property has been sold for taxes and the date of such sale. When any assessment shall have been marked 'sold for taxes' as provided herein the

tax collector shall not receive payment for the taxes of the current year until he shall have been presented with a certificate of redemption signed by the auditor and treasurer showing that all delinquent taxes together with all costs, interest and penalties of every kind have been paid."

A. B. 202. MRS. DORRIS.

Amends Sec. 4241 of the Pol. Code. Kern County Government Act.
SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 203. MRS. DORRIS.

Adds Sec. 738cc to the Pol. Code. Increases the salaries of superior court judges in Kern County from \$4,000 to \$6,000 per annum.
To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 204. NOYES.

Amends Sec. 4041 of the Pol. Code. General powers of boards of supervisors. Changes subdivision 6 of the section to include the power to purchase, receive by donation, lease or otherwise "land for gravel pits and rights of way of not less than twenty feet in width for egress and ingress thereto." (This is inserted on page 2, lines 46, 47 and 48.) At the end of this subdivision the following is added (beginning on page 3, line 8, to and including line 14): "provided that in case the board of supervisors shall find and determine that the best interests of the county require that such property be acquired by condemnation, then such board need not publish such notice of intention, but shall direct the district attorney of the county to institute suit to condemn said property for such county or public purposes."

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 205 BERNARD. (By request.)

Amends Sec. 1739a Pol. Code. The existing section provides for establishment of new union high school districts. The proposed section provides that every county high school district shall become a union high school district and be governed by a board as provided in Sec. 1731 of the Pol. Code. All funds, debts and property of the high school district to be transferred to the union high school district.

Probable effect is to do away with all county high school districts and change them to union high school districts.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 206. McDOWELL.

Amends Sec. 978 of the C. C. P. The amendment makes the following changes: In line 7, page 1, adds the words "the sum of one hundred dollars plus," in line 10, page 1, the word "plus" and on page 2, line 12, the words "the sum of one hundred dollars plus." The **effect** of the amendment is to require an additional one hundred dollars on the bond for stay of proceedings in appeal from justices' courts, which at present is twice the amount of the judgment or value of the property sued for in the justice court.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 207. SCOTT.

Appropriates \$700 to pay the claim of the American Mutual Liability Insurance Company against the state.

To Committee on Claims.

A. B. 208. WEST.

New General Law. Repeals Railroad Safety Act of 1915 (Deer. Gen. Law No. 2936b), forbidding railroads to require employees to transmit orders for movement of trains by telegraph or telephone and any rules or regulations of the railroad commission conflicting with the proposed act.

The new act is practically the same as the act of 1915, which is repealed, with the exception that the provisions do not apply to independent lines **not over** two hundred and fifty miles in length, or in cases of wreck, washout, fire, engine failure, or injury to any member of the crew or passengers. The same penalties for violation are prescribed, of fine not over \$500 or imprisonment not over six months or both.

To Committee on Public Utilities.

A. B. 209. POMEROY.

Adds chapter IV to title III, part III of the Pol. Code, embracing Secs. 1893, 1894 and 1894a, **relating to private schools.**

Provides that the course of instruction in private kindergarten, elementary and secondary schools shall be submitted to the department of education for approval or to the county superintendent of schools acting for such department. Such approval not to apply to religious teachings or method employed, when not inconsistent with American patriotism. The state superintendent of schools or county superintendent acting for him must inspect such private schools once a year, and such schools shall always be open, during their regular session for such inspection. Such schools may be accredited and graduates put on same basis as public school graduates.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 210. MORRIS.

Amends Sec. 360e of Pol. Code. The following sentence beginning in line 11, page 1, of the printed bill is added by the amendment "The motor vehicle division of the department of finance shall have power to destroy the registration records of motor vehicles when such records have been in the custody of the division for a period of over four years."

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 211. EDWIN BAKER.

Amends Secs. 363, 363a, 363b, 363c, 363d, 363e, 363f, 363g and 363h of the Pol. Code, relating to the department of public works.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 212. FULWIDER.

New General Law. Purports to validate all assessments and taxes due thereunder, entered in any assessment roll or book, which book or roll is defective by reason of omission to attach to such book or roll the affidavit or certificate required in Secs. 3682 and 3732 Pol. Code. **Does not apply** to any assessment, tax, tax deed, or other tax conveyance in litigation when act takes effect.

To Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

A. B. 213. FRANK JOHNSON. Deer. Gen. Law Sup. No. 2331b.

Amends Sec. 7 of the Vehicle Act of 1915, relating to registration fees.

Adds the following paragraphs to the section, beginning on page 2, line 23, to and including line 37:

"The tax collector of each county shall act as agent of the motor vehicle department in the issuance of number plates for passenger and commercial cars, trucks and tractors and such other plates and badges as the motor vehicle department may direct."

"Each such tax collector shall, at the close of each day, make a complete record of such registration and licenses issued during the day and forward by registered mail to the motor vehicle department's office at Sacramento. At the end of each month fifty (50) per cent of all moneys collected for such licenses and badges shall be remitted to the motor vehicle department's office at Sacramento and fifty (50) per cent shall be remitted to the county treasurer of each county in which such moneys is collected, and to be used in the same manner and method as is now prescribed by law."

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

A. B. 214. MISS BROUGHTON.

Adds Sec. 737p to the Pol. Code. Increases the salaries of superior court judges in Stanislaus County from \$4,000 to \$6,000 per annum.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 215. MISS BROUGHTON.

Amends Sec. 1238 of the C. C. P., relating to eminent domain. Amendment adds the words "or irrigation districts" in the following places: On page 1 of the bill in line 16, on page 3 in line 8, and in line 51, page 3. This would allow the power of eminent domain to be exercised on behalf of irrigation districts.

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 216. MISS BROUGHTON. Deer, Gen. Law Sup. No. 2143c.

Adds Sec. 11ee to the Workmen's Compensation Act of 1917. Provides for determination of what is an "unreasonable refusal to submit to medical treatment" in cases arising in subsection e of section 11, by submitting the question to two physicians, one furnished by the employer and one by the applicant for insurance. It shall be unlawful for an employer to refuse compensation on the ground of "unreasonable refusal" until this procedure has been complied with and a decision rendered by the commission.

Ncte—The bill proposes to add a new section to the act, to be numbered 11ee. It is probable that it was intended to add a new subsection to be designated ee to Sec. 11, in which event the entire section 11 should have been set out.

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 217. DONOHUE.

New General Law. Appropriates \$2,000 for restoration and upkeep of the old Greek chapel and grounds at Fort Ross in Sonoma County.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

A. B. 218. WEST.

Adds Sec. 644 to the Penal Code. Declares any person convicted twice of a crime which would be a felony under the laws of this state to be an habitual criminal and punishable by imprisonment for not less than ten years and for a third conviction punishable by imprisonment for life. Provides that nothing in the act shall be taken to abrogate the death penalty.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 219. WEST.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2331b.

Adds Sec. 23 to the Vehicle Act of 1915. The section would require all motor vehicles to be equipped with some speed regulating device. To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

A. B. 220. ROSENSHINE.

Adds Sec. 634 to the C. C. P., which reads as follows: "Judgment upon the decision of the court, whether a general or a special decision must be entered accordingly."

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 221. JONES.

Deer. Gen. Law-Sup. No. 2348.

Amends Sec. 863 of the Municipal Corporation Act of 1883 by adding the following (beginning on line 21 of the bill to the end of the section): "**and provided, further,** that any city or town may make a compilation of the material parts of all its ordinances then in force, and adopt the same as one ordinance, in which case said ordinance need not be published as a whole but instead thereof the same may be posted for ten days in three public places in said city or town and a notice containing the title of said ordinance, stating when the same was adopted, and where the same is ordered to be posted, and where the same is kept on file, may be published in some newspaper of general circulation therein."

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 222. MUELLER.

Deer. Gen. Law No. 2331b.

Amends Sec. 35 of the Vehicle Act of 1915. The amendment provides that all fines collected for violation of any of the provisions of the vehicle act occurring within the limits of a municipality shall be paid into the treasury of such municipality. The change occurs in the first part of the section.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

A. B. 223. T. A. MITCHELL.

New General Law. Provides for regulation of sweatshops; requires a license for using rooms in tenement or dwelling houses, or in buildings in the rear of apartment, tenement, or dwelling houses in which to manufacture or work on articles for wages. Such license shall run for six months and be issued by the labor commissioner only when such rooms and the articles worked on are in a clean and sanitary condition and the rooms are properly ventilated. Such license must be posted in a conspicuous place in the shop. Does not refer to or repeal any existing laws regulating labor. **Violation** of the provisions of the act is declared to be a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not exceeding \$500 or imprisonment not exceeding six months or by both.

To Committee on Manufactures.

A. B. 224. C. C. BAKER.

Amends Sec. 4307 of the Pol. Code. Adds the words "coroners and recorders" in line 11 on page 2 of the bill. The effect is to make the expenses incurred by coroners and recorders in attending annual coroners' and recorders' conventions a county charge.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 225. C. C. BAKER.

Deer. Gen. Law No. 1319.

Amends Sec. 3 of the act of 1909, regulating fishing licenses. Requires a fee of \$10 for each license, and provides that no license shall be issued if the taxes on all the property of the person applying therefor are not paid in full; license shall not be transferable; person must have license in possession while fishing; any violation of the provisions of the act shall cause a forfeiture of the license.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 226. J. W. JOHNSTON.

Adds Sec. 737p to Pol. Code. Increases the salaries of the superior judges in Sacramento County from \$5,000 to \$6,000 per annum.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 227. CRITTENDEN.

Deer. Gen. Law Sup. No. 1726.

Amends Sec. 26 of the Irrigation District Act of 1897. Changes the word "must" to "may" in line 8 of the bill, thus making it discretionary in the directors to change the number of directors upon a petition of a majority of the holders of title in the district, and not compulsory. The following, beginning on line 13, is added to the section: "as said board may order, and they shall be elected by the district at large, or by divisions as so petitioned and ordered; and after such order said directors shall be so elected."

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 228. CRITTENDEN.

Amends Sec. 1195b of the Pol. Code. Amendment makes the following changes: in line 4 of the bill substitutes "thirty-five" for "thirty"; in line 10 substitutes "thirty" for "twenty"; and in line 11 "twenty" for "fifteen."

The probable effect of the change is to require the county clerk to mail the election pamphlets to the voters **five days earlier** than is done at present.

To Committee on Elections.

A. B. 229. CRITTENDEN.

New General Law. Purports to validate the Tracy-Clover Irrigation District in San Joaquin County.

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 230. NOYES.

New General Law. Purports to validate formation and organization of reclamation district 2056 in Butte and Sutter counties and establish its boundaries.

To Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

A. B. 231. ESKWARD AND NOYES.

Amends Sec. 3818 of the Pol. Code. This section now relates to the partial redemption of land sold for delinquent taxes.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

A. B. 232. ESKWARD AND NOYES.

Amends Sec. 1543 of the Pol. Code. On page 2 of the printed bill in line 2 the words "or town" are added. The following matter which would appear in line 20, page 2, between the words "blank" and "approved" is left out: "prescribed by the county superintendent of schools on" the effect of which is to do away with the requirement that the form of blanks for orders must be prescribed by the county superintendent of schools. The paragraph contained in lines 42 to 48 inclusive, is substituted for the following matter in the section as it now stands: "and provided further that the county superintendent of schools after examining and approving any demand may transmit the same directly to the county auditor who after allowing such demand shall return the same to the county superintendent of schools who shall thereupon return said demand to the governing board of the school district, which shall issue said demand to the claimant or his order." The effect of the amendment is to change the procedure in the payment of orders on the trustees.

The bill is defective in that the entire section to be amended is not set out.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 233. WHITACRE.

Deer. Gen. Law No. 2331b.

Amends Secs. 7, 20, 22 and 36 of the Motor Vehicle Act of 1915. As amended Sec. 7 **changes** the fee for chauffeurs' licenses from \$2.00 to \$5.00 and imposes an operator's license fee of \$1.00 (page 2 of the bill, lines 8 and 9).

Sec. 20 is amended by **changing** subdivision w on page 6 of the bill. The effect of this change is to **prohibit** leaving a vehicle standing upon the main traveled portion of a public highway for any purpose whatsoever, while under the section as it now stands the prohibition is only against a vehicle undergoing repair, for the purpose of making repairs, or for the purpose of camping, and allows vehicles to be stopped for any other purpose.

Sec. 22 as amended **provides** that the combined gross weight of any vehicle (not equipped with pneumatic tires) with one or more trailers shall not exceed 30,000 pounds (page 9, lines 41, 42 and 43).

Sec. 36 is amended by the addition of the following paragraph (page 12, lines 4 to 14 inclusive): "A person arrested for violation of any of the provisions of this act and cited to appear before a police judge or justice of the peace, who fails to appear at the time set for such appearance, shall be sent a notice within one week of such failure, that if he does not appear within two weeks such failure shall be reported to the division of motor vehicles and that the division upon receipt of such report shall cause his license to be revoked. Upon receipt by the division of motor vehicles of such a report from any justice of the peace or judge of the police court the division shall revoke the license of such party named in the notice."

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

A. B. 234. COOMBS.

New General Law. Provides that in all hearings before the railroad commission in which the public is interested the **attorney general** shall appear and represent the public.

To Committee on Public Utilities.

A. B. 235. COOMBS.

Amends Sec. 1121 of the Penal Code. Provides for a separate room for male and female jurors and prohibits deliberation and discussion on the case while so separated.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 236. COOMBS.

New General Law. Provides that any hospital or state institution may provide for the treatment and care of deformed, crippled and injured children and after having made such preparation must receive such children on the application of parents or guardian. The hos-

pital authorities may request specialists to render assistance without remuneration. Five thousand dollars is **appropriated** for carrying out the proposed plan.

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

A. B. 237. COOMBS.

Appropriates \$448 to pay the claim of John Akers and Jesse M. Akers against the state.

To Committee on Claims.

A. B. 238. COOMBS.

New General Law. Provides for the submission to the voters of a bond issue for the purpose of completing the unfinished portions of the state highway system. The amount is left blank.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 239. MORRIS.

Appropriates \$1,900 for the purchase of a filing case for the district court of appeal, first district.

Urgency measure.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

A. B. 240. MORRIS.

Amends Sec. 4307 of the Pol. Code by adding the word "recorder" on page 2, line 8, of the bill; the effect of which is to make the expenses incurred by recorders in attending annual recorders' conventions a county charge; see A. B. 224 which adds "coroners and recorders" to the same section. *

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 241. MORRIS.

Appropriates a blank sum to pay the claim of Raymond Benjamin against the state.

To Committee on Claims.

A. B. 242. KLINE.

Appropriates \$40,000 for summer agricultural courses of the University of California at the **Riverside** Citrus Experimental Station.

To Committee on Agriculture.

A. B. 243. ROCK.

Adds Sec. 1716 to the Civil Code. This bill is a companion bill to S. B. 14. For digest see said senate bill.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 244. MISS MILLER.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2799.

Amends the California Industrial Farm for Women Act of 1919. This amendment provides for the changing of the name of the California Industrial Farm for Women to the "California Industrial Farm and Prison for Women" and in addition to the women committed to the farm under the present act, all women convicted of a felony or at present in a state penitentiary or reformatory must be transferred to the farm: provides for the government of the institution by a board of five trustees, three of whom shall be women, appointed by the governor, and under the general supervision of the state board of prison directors. Appropriates \$150,000 to carry out the purposes of the act and an additional \$75,000 for the erection, equipment and maintenance of an additional building to be used for the care and custody of women committed to the institution by reason of conviction of felony. See Sec. 34 of article IV of the constitution.

To Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

A. B. 245. HEISINGER.

Deer. Gen. Law No. 2331b.

Amends Secs. 13 and 15 of Motor Vehicle Act of 1915. In subdivision (d) of section 13 the amendment adds the following: "Every motor truck shall carry a white light on the extreme left hand side of the body or projecting load of such truck in such a manner that it will be plainly visible to any approaching vehicle" (page 2 of the bill beginning on line 35 to and including line 38). Section 15, as amended in subdivision b, lowers the maximum weight limit from 30,000 pounds to 10,000 pounds (on page 7, lines 23 to 29 inclusive).

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

A. B. 246. EDWIN BAKER.

Deer. Gen. Law Sup. No. 4302.

Amends Sec. 1 of the act of 1915, establishing a Bureau of Vital Statistics. The amendment eliminates the provision for salaries of the registrar and of the deputy statistician and provides that all salaries shall be fixed in accordance with the classification made by the Civil Service Commission.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 247. HORNBLOWER.

Deer. Gen. Law Sup. No. 2164.

Amends Sec. 10 of the Medical Practice Act of 1913. The amendment raises the requirements to practice chiroprody from a course of 664 hours to 1245 hours and provides that applicant must pass an

examination in the subjects mentioned on page 2 of the bill, lines 43 to 48 inclusive. The amendment is defective in that it leaves out the requirements for **all other classes of examination** while the purpose of the amendment is probably only to amend the section by changing the requirements for chiropody.

To Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

A. B. 248. HORNBLLOWER.

Amends Sec. 453 of the Civil Code. This section relates to mutual benefit associations. The amendment **omits** the word "annual" which would occur in line 9 between the words "any" and "assessment," the effect of which is to protect the members against assessment. In line 13 the word "in" is substituted for the word "by." Gives such association the additional power to purchase land upon which to erect apartment or dwelling houses, not including hotels, within six months after the purchase of such land and **provides** that the monthly rental value for each room in such apartment shall not exceed eight dollars, (beginning on line 16, to and including line 22).

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 249. HORNBLLOWER.

Adds Sec. 146a to the Penal Code, providing that every public officer, or person pretending to be such, who seizes and searches any private hotel or apartment which is occupied as a home under the pretense or color of any process or other legal authority is punishable by imprisonment not exceeding one year or by fine not exceeding \$5,000 or by both.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 250. BURNS AND HORNBLLOWER.

New General Law. Requires all elevators to be furnished with a seat for the operator which can be used while the elevator is being operated; makes failure to do so a misdemeanor and punishable by fine not exceeding \$25.

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

A. B. 251. BURNS AND HORNBLLOWER.

Amends Sec. 1111 of the C. C. P. Provides for the contest of any proposition or measure submitted to the electors as well as the right of any person elected. The effect of this amendment is to allow the contest of propositions which have been voted upon under the initiative or referendum.

To Committee on Elections.

A. B. 252. HORNBLOWER.

Amends Sec. 415 of the Civil Code. The amendment provides that insurance companies may purchase real estate upon which to erect apartment, tenement or other dwelling houses, not including hotels, within six months after the purchase of said lands, providing the monthly rental does not exceed \$8 per room for each apartment: such power to exist until the present housing shortage ceases to exist (lines 17 to 24 inclusive of the bill). See A. B. 248 which gives practically the same power to benefit associations.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 253. BURNS AND HORNBLOWER.

New General Law. Provides for seats in elevators. Practically the same as A. B. 250.

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

A. B. 254. HORNBLOWER.

Amends Sec. 179 of the Pol. Code, relating to the dividing of the state into congressional districts.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Reapportionment.

A. B. 255. HORNBLOWER.

Deer. Gen. Law Sup. No. 4033a.

Amends Secs. 1 and 2 of the Criminal Syndicalism Act of 1919. In Sec. 1, amends the definition of criminal syndicalism in part substituting for the words "or presenting any change in the existing form of government of the State of California or of the United States of America," (page 1, lines 13, 14 and 15) for the words "any political change." The same change is made in Sec. 2, subdivision 1 and subdivision 5.

In subdivision 2 of Sec. 2 the word "justified" is used instead of the word "justifies" and is probably a typographical error. In subdivision 4 (on page 2, line 13) the word "knowingly," which would occur between the words "or" and "become" is omitted and the following, page 2, beginning on line 16 to and including line 19, is added: "knowing that such organization, society, group or assemblage of persons is organized or assembled to advocate, teach, aid and abet criminal syndicalism."

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 256. BURNS AND HORNBLOWER.

Deer Gen. Law Sup.
No. 3700e.

Amends Sec. 1 of the act of 1921, relating to the wearing of veterans' insignias. The amendment inserts the words "or Disabled American Veterans of the World War" (page 2, lines 2 and 3). The effect of the amendment is to add the Association of Disabled American Veterans of the World War to the list of organizations which may prescribe rules and regulations for the wearing of veterans' insignias.

To Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs.

A. B. 257. BURNS AND HORNBLOWER.

New General Law. Regulates employment during strikes and lockouts and repeals an act of 1913, dealing with the same subject. (Deer. Gen. Law No. 2140a.) **Provides** that if an employer advertises in any manner for employees during, or in anticipation of, labor trouble he shall plainly mention in such advertisement that trouble exists or is anticipated and shall not attempt to procure labor in any other manner. Violation of the provisions of the act is made punishable by a fine not exceeding \$100. Any person procured in violation of the act shall be reimbursed for any transportation and provided with a return ticket to the place of engagement.

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

A. B. 258. FELLOW.

Deer. Gen. Law Sup. No. 2143e.

Amends Sec. 9 of the Workmen's Compensation Act of 1917. The change begins on page 4 of the printed bill at subdivision (d) (line 26); the lettering of the subdivision is changed from (e) to (d).

A graduated scale of compensation for dependents in case of death of an employee is provided as follows:

(1) A flat sum for burial expenses not exceeding \$100.

(2) To a surviving wife or dependent husband during widowhood or dependent widowerhood, 35 per cent of deceased's average wages; upon remarriage—two years' compensation in one amount.

To a surviving child or children under eighteen years of age—an additional sum of 10 per cent to each such child until the age of eighteen; in case of remarriage or death of widow or dependent widower, the child's compensation is increased to 15 per cent until the age of eighteen, but in no event shall the total amount exceed 65 per cent of the deceased's average wages. The commission may appoint a guardian for child but unless they do so one is not necessary.

(3) To a surviving child or children under eighteen with no parents, 15 per cent until the age of eighteen, but the total not to exceed 65 per cent.

(4) If there is no surviving wife, dependent husband, or child under eighteen, or if the total payment to such persons is less than 65 per cent of the deceased's average wages, to dependent grandchildren, brothers and sisters under eighteen, 15 per cent until the age of eighteen, 25 per cent for the support of dependent parents of grandparents. In no case shall the aggregate exceed the difference between 65 per cent and the amount paid in, as specified in subdivisions (2) and (3).

(e) To partial dependents, if no total dependents, funeral expenses and three times the annual amount devoted to such partial dependents. Such amount shall not exceed (plus funeral expenses) three times the annual earnings. Such average annual earnings not to be taken as less than \$333.33 or more than \$666.66 per year.

(f) No dependents, funeral expenses.

(g) Payment of claims under order of commission shall discharge employer.

The new scale makes many changes in the rates of compensation to be paid and provides for a continuing form of payment rather than the payment of a death benefit or lump sum.

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 259. E. BAKER.

Amends Sec. 125 of the Pol. Code. Provides for a new division of the state into equalization districts. **Repeals** all acts in conflict.

To Committee on Reapportionment.

A. B. 260. EMME.

Deer. Gen. Law Sup. No. 2143c.

Amends Sec. 29 of the Workmen's Compensation Act of 1917. The provision that a certificate to self insure may be revoked by the commission for good cause is changed to require a hearing and the following are declared to be good cause for revocation: Impairment of employer's solvency; the practice by employer or his agent of any of the acts denounced by Sec. 596 (b) and Sec. 663 of the Pol. Code with respect to conduct of insurance companies. On page 2, lines 43 to 51 inclusive, and on page 3, lines 1 to 6 inclusive, are added, which **provide** that failure to secure payment of compensation is a misdemeanor and punishable by a fine of not more than \$500 or by imprisonment for not more than six months, or by both; any fines to be paid into the state "accident prevention fund"; that commission may require employer to furnish name of his insurance carrier and statement as to manner in which employer has complied with provisions of this section. Failure to furnish such statement within ten days to constitute presumptive evidence of such failure.

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 261. EMME.

Deer. Gen. Law Sup. No. 2144g.

Amends Sec. 3 of the act of 1915, requiring employers to provide hospital service for employees. The amendment **adds** the following to the section: "Any employer who furnishes such hospital service shall permit the employees contributing to its maintenance to choose at least a **majority** of the board of directors or officers in charge of such hospital service."

The effect of this amendment is to give to the employees who support such hospital, a voice in its management.

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

A. B. 262.—WELLER.

Adds Sec. 2957 to the Civil Code. Said section **provides** that conditional sales of personal property, or leases containing a conditional right to purchase, where purchaser or lessor takes possession, shall be **absolute** as to all subsequent purchasers and encumbrancers in good faith for value, and as to all creditors of the purchaser or lessee or his transferee, unless there is filed with the county recorder within thirty days of taking possession of the property a memorandum of such conditional sale or lease, containing the name, and place of residence of seller or lessor, description and location of property; fifty cents shall be charged for such filing. This section not to apply to property exempt from execution.

The word "subdivision" in lines 18 and 19 of the bill should be amended to read "section."

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 263. HAWES.

New General Law. Controlling the sale and use of pistols and revolvers. The bill defines a pistol or revolver as a firearm, the barrel of which is less than twelve inches in length.

Sec. 2. Any person attempting to commit a crime when armed with a pistol or revolver without a permit shall receive an additional punishment of from five to ten years. Sec. 3. The judge shall have the power to double and triple the penalty for a second or third offense under Sec. 2 and to sentence for life for a fourth offense. Sec. 4. Being armed with a pistol or revolver without a permit shall constitute prima facie evidence of intention to commit a felony when on trial for a felony or an attempt. Sec. 5. No unnaturalized foreign-born person or persons convicted of a felony shall possess a pistol or revolver. Violation of this section to be punished by imprisonment for not less than five years. Sec. 6. No person shall carry a concealed pistol or revolver on his person or in any vehicle without a license except in a dwelling house or place of business. Violation punishable by imprisonment for not less than one year. The provisions of this section do not apply to officers of the law.

members of the army and navy, or to transportation of pistols or revolvers as merchandise. Sec. 8. The judge of a court of record, chief of police, marshal, sheriff or person authorized by them may issue a license good for one year to carry a pistol if such person has a bona fide place of business or residence within the jurisdiction of the licensing authority or bona fide place of business or residence within the state and already has a license to carry a concealed firearm issued by authorities of this state or of any subdivision of the United States. Such license shall only be issued when the person has good reason to fear an injury to his person or property. Sec. 9. Any person giving or selling a pistol or revolver to a minor under eighteen shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and fined from one hundred to one thousand dollars, or imprisoned for from three months to one year or both. Sec. 10. No person shall sell a pistol or revolver to any one whom he has reasonable cause to believe is an unnaturalized foreign-born person or who has been convicted of a felony. The revolver shall not be delivered on the day it is sold. Before delivery the purchaser shall sign a triplicate statement containing his name, address, occupation, and nationality, date of sale, and the caliber, make, model and manufacturer's number of the weapon; the seller must deliver within seven days one copy to the secretary of state, one to the chief of police, one to the sheriff and retain one himself for six years. No person not a dealer shall sell a pistol to any one not personally known to him. This section does not apply to wholesalers. Violations punishable by a fine of not less than one hundred dollars or by imprisonment for not less than one year or by both. Sec. 11. Selling without a license shall be punishable by imprisonment for not less than two years. Sec. 12. The licenses shall be issued on the following conditions: (1) The business to be carried on only in the building designated. (2) The license must be displayed therein. (3) No pistol shall be delivered—(a) on day of purchase; (b) unless purchaser is personally known or clearly identifies himself; (c) if seller has reasonable cause to believe the purchaser to be an unnaturalized foreign person or has been convicted of a felony. (4) Prescribes the same record of sale as in Sec. 10, providing for a quadruplicate rather than a triplicate. (5) No pistol or imitation or advertisement of a pistol shall be displayed on the premises where it can be seen from the outside. Sec. 13. Any person who is guilty of giving false information in purchasing or applying for a permit shall be punishable by imprisonment for from five to ten years. Sec. 14. Any person changing or obliterating the name of the maker, model, manufacturer's number, or other mark of identification on a pistol shall be punished by imprisonment for from one to five years. Possession of such firearm shall be presumptive evidence that the possessor has made the change or obliteration. Sec. 15. All licenses heretofore issued shall expire December 31, 1924. Sec. 16. The act shall not apply to antique pistols or revolvers incapable of use; also repeals all acts in conflict.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 264. SPALDING.

Amends Sec. 1735 of the Pol. C. Provides that when a high school district organized as provided in the Pol. Code, is unable to organize and conduct classes during the first two years of its existence, all proceedings for the lapsing of such district shall be suspended for one year, upon a recommendation to the board of supervisors by the superintendent of public instruction and the county superintendent of schools. If at the end of such year the average daily attendance is below **ten**, such district shall lapse, as provided in this section as it now stands. The part added is on page 1 of the bill, lines 22 to 26 inclusive, and on page 3, lines 1 to 14 inclusive.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 265. WRIGHT.

Amends Sec. 4235 of the Pol. Code. Santa Clara County Government Act.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 266. J. W. JOHNSTON.

Amends Sec. 3825 of the Pol. Code by inserting the word "county" in line 3 of the bill. The section relates to the collection of personal property taxes.

To Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

A. B. 267. DAVIS.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 4043.

Amends the act of 1895, providing for the levy and collection of taxes in municipal corporations other than municipal corporations of the first class.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 268. DAVIS.

Appropriates \$200,000 for completion of the state highway between El Centro, in Imperial County, and the Yuma Indian Reservation, approximately six miles in length.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 269. BERNARD.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 3036a.

Amends Sec. 1 of the Sacramento San Joaquin Drainage District Bond Act of 1919.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

A. B. 270. BERNARD.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 3035.
Stats. 1921, p. 1481.

Amends Secs. 12, 14 and 21 of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District Act of 1911. The amendment to Sec. 12 takes away the power of the reclamation board to dispose of property of the district when they deem such property no longer necessary. The part omitted is eliminated from the section at the end of the sentence on line 48 of page 2 of the printed bill.

The amendment to Sec. 14 **changes** the provisions applying to delinquent assessments with no material changes as to time: **provides** that notice shall be published for **three** weeks instead of **two** weeks before a delinquent sale and **provides** that the reclamation board, and not the county treasurer, shall conduct the sale. The section is re-worded and shortened and some of the details changed.

The amendment to Sec. 21 eliminates the provision that the board may determine that the state may take charge of "maintenance or operation of flood control works or structures," or maintain or operate any works. The power left in the board in such matters is to determine only that the state may do repair and construction work.

To Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

A. B. 271. MORRISON.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2143a.

Amends Sec. 1 of the Seasonal Labor Act of 1913. The amendment **adds** the following sentence, beginning on line 9 of the bill: "If such wages are not paid at the main office of the employer, payment must be made at a place appointed by the commissioner of labor."

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

A. B. 272. WEST.

New General Law. Declares that January twenty-fourth of each year shall be set apart as "**Gold Discovery Day**" to be observed in all public schools, not as a holiday but by suitable classroom work. The purpose of the day to be to perpetuate the traditions and customs of early Californians and to promote a greater spirit of California patriotism. **S. B. 139 is a companion bill.**

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 273. BERNARD. (By request.)

Amends Sec. 1733a of the Pol. Code. On page 1, line 5 of the bill the word "one" is substituted for the word "five". On page 2 of the bill in line 22, between the words "said" and "to" the following words have been omitted: "election as soon as the polls are closed, and report the result." This is evidently an error as the matter omitted is necessary to the sentence.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 274. BROMLEY.

Amends Sec. 1426 of the Pol. Code, relating to the regents of the University of California. The section as amended does not require the **advice and consent of the senate** to the appointment of the members of the board by the governor. This is in conformity with Sec. 9 of article IX of the constitution of California.

To Committee on Universities.

A. B. 275. DONOHUE.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 2348.

Amends Sec. 862 of the Municipal Corporation Act of 1883, relating to powers of cities of the sixth class. Amendment gives such cities power "to acquire and improve public mooring places for water craft" (page 2 of the bill, lines 51 and 52) and power to operate bus lines (page 3, lines 12 and 13).

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 276. CHRISTIAN

Adds Sec. 9251a to the C. C. P. Provides that the time allowed for pleadings and undertakings to be filed, justification of sureties and service of notices (other than of appeal) in justices' courts in any of the cases mentioned in Sees. 832 to 926 of the C. C. P. inclusive, shall be extended by the justice before whom the action is pending or who presided at the trial, upon a request for such extension before a justice of the peace and a showing that the attorney for the party is in attendance before a session of the legislature as a member, to a time fifteen days after adjournment of the legislature.

The probable effect of the section as it is worded is to permit application for extension to be made before **any** justice of the peace. See Sees. 595 and 1054 C. C. P.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 277. ROSENSHINE.

To repeal Sec. 3a of the act of 1915, prescribing terms upon which corporations may do business, which section was added in 1921. Said section **provides** that before a license shall be issued to any corporation a certificate must be filed setting forth the names and addresses of the acting directors and managers of said corporations. Sec. 2 of act **provides** all penalties or suspensions, accrued by reason of failure to comply with Sec. 3a are relieved.

The bill is defective in that it **repeals** the amendatory act of 1921, adding Sec. 3a to the act. The act should repeal Sec. 3a of the act of 1915 as it now stands.

To Committee on Corporations.

A. B. 278. MRS. SAYLOR.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2886.

Amends Sec. 27 of the Railroad Commission Act of 1915. On page 2 of the bill **adds** the paragraph contained in lines 12 to 35 inclusive. This amendment to the section **provides** that street railways may sell tickets to public or private school students in grades not higher than high schools. Such tickets to be bought in lots of twenty, each at a **half-fare rate**, with the same privileges as to transfer and other rights as a regular ticket. The provisions of this section to be optional on the part of the street railway.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 279. NOYES.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 2331b.

Amends Sec. 14 of the Motor Vehicle Act of 1915. The part added to the section is on page 2 of the bill, beginning with the sentence in line 21 to and including line 39. The amendment **provides**: that motor vehicle brakes must be **tested** every ninety days or less, at agencies established for such purpose throughout the state by the motor vehicle department; that such test shall not cost more than \$1.50; that a **certificate** shall be issued showing such inspection and that brakes are satisfactory, which shall be attached to operator's license; and that it shall be unlawful to operate without such examination or a display of the certificate.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

A. B. 280. CRITTENDEN.

Amends Sec. 1880 of the C. C. P. Adds the words "and persons interested in an action or proceeding" in line 10 of the bill, adding such persons to the class which may not testify against an executor or administrator in actions against the estate of a deceased person as to a matter or fact occurring before death.

The bill is **defective** in that it leaves out the following sentence which should be placed immediately after the number "1880" in line 4 of the bill: "The following persons cannot be witnesses:"

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 281. CRITTENDEN.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 2143e.

Amends Sec. 6 of the Workmen's Compensation Act of 1917. On page 2 of the printed bill, lines 19 and 20, the following is inserted: "or a managing representative or general superintendent thereof."

The amendment adds to the class of persons in a partnership who are liable for wilful misconduct of an employee.

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 282. CRITTENDEN.

Amends Sec. 1210 of the Pol. Code, relating to sample ballots.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Elections.

A. B. 283. WELLER.

New General Law. Provides for the acceptance by the State of California of the provisions of the **Sheppard-Towner Act**, passed by congress, which act **provides** for maternity and infancy welfare and hygiene.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 284. POMEROY.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 2331b.

Amends Sec. 22 of the Motor Vehicle Act of 1915. The amendment adds subdivision (c) to the section (page 5, lines 3 to 5 inclusive, of the bill), which **provides** that no arrest for speeding shall be made by officers making use of a "trap" and defines a trap as a section of highway marked off as to distance where the rate of speed may be timed. The amendment **provides** also that traffic officers shall be dressed in distinctive uniforms.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

A. B. 285. ERB.

Amends Sec. 246 of the Pol. Code. Changes the officers of the assembly as follows: **Adds** one assistant file clerk, one matron, one chief stenographer, one clerk for judiciary committee, one clerk for ways and means committee and **eliminates** the following: one assistant sergeant-at-arms, one clerk for the sergeant-at-arms, one minute clerk, two assistant engrossing and enrolling clerks, four bill filers, one mail carrier, one page to speaker, three gate keepers, one door-keeper, one gallery door-keeper, one messenger to printer, one bill clerk, four assistant bill clerks, five porters, three watchmen, one fireman, one engineer, one sergeant-at-arms for the ways and means committee, one sergeant-at-arms for the judiciary committee, one electrician, one janitress and one elevator attendant; **increases** the number of stenographers from six to nine; cuts down the pages from six to five; the assistant engrossing and enrolling clerks from two to one, and committee clerks from thirty to fifteen and gives the chief clerk power to appoint only one of his assistant clerks.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 286. LYONS.

Adds Sec. 1718 to the C. C. P. Provides that in probate and home-
stead matters, and sale, partition, and distribution of real estate, the
court may appoint an attorney to act for minors interested who have
no guardian or are non-residents, and such attorney may receive a
fee. The non-appointment of an attorney not to affect the validity
of any of the proceedings.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 287. COOMBS.

Amends Sec. 1723 of the C. C. P., relating to the termination of life
estates. The section as amended **provides** for no service of notice
upon the parties affected but leaves it in the discretion of the court;
provides that any person may oppose the petition by filing objections
prior to the hearing; in case a decedent's estate is in progress of
administration said proceedings may be had in the matter of said
estate.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 288. SPENCE.

Adds Sec. 726a to the C. C. P. which reads as follows:

726a. The negotiability of a promissory note otherwise nego-
tiable in form, secured by mortgage or deed of trust upon real or
personal property, shall not be affected or abridged by reason of a
statement therein that it is so secured nor by reason of the fact that
said instrument is so secured, nor by any conditions contained in the
mortgage or deed of trust securing the same.

The bill is **defective** in that Sec. 1 states that Sec. 726a is amended,
while it is in reality added as the **title states**.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 289. SPENCE.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 2389o.

Amends Secs. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 19, 21 and 26 of the act of 1919,
relating to municipal elections of cities of the fifth and sixth class.
The amendment to Sec. 1 provides that elections on any questions or
propositions as well as elections of city officials shall be conducted
according to the provisions of this act.

Sec. 2 is amended as follows: on page 1 of the bill in lines 17 and 18
the words "specifying full term or short term as the case may be" are
substituted for the words "specifying short terms if there are any."

Sec. 3 is amended as follows: on page 2 of the bill in line 26 the
word "general" is omitted which would occur between the words
"such" and "municipal". In line 28 the words "the last" are
omitted which would occur between the words "for" and "state."

Sec. 4 is amended by omitting the word "general" which would
occur before the words "municipal" and "election" in line 31 on
page 2 and changing the number of judges from **two** to **one** (line 32).

Sec. 5 is amended as follows: on page 2, line 48, the word "municipal" is substituted for the word "such" and on page 3, line 3, the word "separate" for the word "different"; in lines 5 and 6 the following is added: "Where there are full terms and short terms to be filled, the same must be so specified." **In the next paragraph** provision is made that a nomination paper shall be accompanied by the affidavit of the circular of such paper and the form of affidavit is set out.

Sec. 6 is amended as follows: on page 4, line 18, the words "or polling place cards" are inserted, and in the same line and in line 19 the words "in case of an election to fill offices"; lines 35 to 37 inclusive are also **added**. The **effect** of this amendment is to provide that polling place cards need not be sent out and to make this section conform with the amendment to Sec. 1, which section is amended to include questions or propositions, as well as officers.

Sec. 8 is amended to make certain changes in the printed form of ballot and requires that when there are full and short terms to be filled the same must be so specified. On page 4, line 41, the word "three" is substituted for the word "four." On page 5, line 22, the word "three" is substituted for the word "four" and in line 25 "three-eighths" for "one-half" inch.

Sec. 19 is amended by inserting the words "or indelible pencil" on page 5, in line 41.

Sec. 21 is amended by substituting the words "in ink or indelible pencil," for the words "in red ink, with a pen;" page 5, lines 47 and 48.

Sec. 26 is amended by the insertion of the words "or indelible pencil" on page 6 in lines 7 and 11.

To Committee on Elections.

A. B. 290. SPENCE.

Amends Sec. 2192 of the Pol. Code. The section relates to admissions to the Sonoma State Home for Feeble Minded. The amendment **adds** the words "**provided**, that any peace officer may petition said court for an order admitting such a person to such hospital" (page 1 of the bill, lines 8, 9 and 10). In line 25 the word "his" is substituted for the word "its".

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

A. B. 291. SPENCE.

Adds Sec. 1810d to the C. C. P., which reads as follows:

1810d. Whenever a minor receives a legacy or bequest of money or personal property which amounts to less than five hundred dollars, and such minor has no general or testamentary guardian, the court may, in its discretion, **direct the payment of such money or the delivery of such property to the parent of such minor with or without the filing of any bond**, and authorize such parent to execute a receipt to the executor or administrator therefor.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 292. SPENCE.

Amends Sec. 1491 of the C. C. P. The amendment provides that the time expressed in the notice to creditors of decedents estates must be **three** months when the estate does not exceed \$10,000 instead of four months as required in the present section.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 293. SPENCE.

Amends Sec. 407 of the C. C. P. The amendment changes the time within which a defendant must appear and answer after service of summons outside the county from **thirty** to **twenty** days (line 10 of the bill).

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 294. SPENCE.

Amends Sec. 660 of the C. C. P., relating to new trials. The word "two" is substituted for the word "three" in line 25 and in line 27 of the bill. The effect of the amendment is to shorten the time within which a judge may decide on a motion for a new trial from **three** to **two** months.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 295. SPENCE.

Amends Sec. 702 of the C. C. P. Shortens the period within which a judgment creditor or redemptioner may redeem property from **twelve** to **six** months.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 296. SPENCE.

Amends Secs. 1327 and 1328 of the C. C. P. Substitutes the words "six months" for "one year" in line 5 and in line 14 of the printed bill. The effect of the amendment is to shorten the time within which a will may be contested from **one year** after probate to **six months**.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 297. SPENCE.

Amends Sec. 132 of the Civil Code. The words "six months" are substituted in line 3 of the printed bill for "one year". The effect of this amendment is to change the time in which a final decree of divorce may be entered after the interlocutory judgment is entered from **one year** to **six months**.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 298. SPENCE.

Adds Sec. 629 to, and amends Sec. 963 of the C. C. P. Sec. 629 relates to motion for judgment notwithstanding the verdict and **provides** for the circumstances under which such judgment may be entered and the procedure therefor. Sec. 963 is amended by the insertion of the words "or denying a motion for judgment notwithstanding the verdict" (page 2 of the bill, lines 6 and 7). The effect of the amendment is to provide that an **appeal** may be taken from an order denying a motion for judgment **notwithstanding the verdict**.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 299. SPENCE.

Amends Sec. 537 of the C. C. P. In subdivision 2 and also in subdivision 3 the following words are inserted: "or who has departed from the state, or who can not after due diligence be found within the state, or who conceals himself to avoid service of summons." The effect of the amendment is to increase the grounds for **attachment**.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 300. SPENCE.

Amends Sec. 659 of the C. C. P. The amendment **adds** the words "either before the entry of judgment or" in line 4 of the bill. The effect of the amendment is to provide that notice of intention to move for a new trial **may** be filed and served before the entry of judgment.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 301. SPENCE.

Amends Sec. 974 of the C. C. P. The amendment **adds** the words "when the amount or the value of the property in controversy exceeds fifty dollars or when the judgment relates to unlawful detainer or to any one of several demands which may arise out of the controversy between the parties," (lines 4 to 8 of the bill), and the words "but in no event may such appeal be taken later than ninety days after the rendition of the judgment" (lines 10, 11 and 12). The effect of the amendment is to provide that appeal from a justice's court may be taken **only** when the amount in controversy exceeds fifty dollars, or in unlawful detainer cases, or when the judgment relates to any one of several demands arising out of the controversy and makes the time limit within which such appeal may be taken **ninety** days after judgment.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 302. SPENCE.

Amends Sec. 132 of the Civil Code. The amendment provides that the interlocutory judgment becomes final **ipso facto** within one year after the judgment and does away with the necessity for the motion of either party or the motion of the court. The wording of the section is rearranged. See proposed amendment to the same section in A. B. 297.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 303. SPENCE.

Amends Secs. 671 and 674 of the C. C. P. The amendment to Sec. 671 adds new matter beginning with the sentence on page 1, line 15, of the bill to and including line 2 on page 2 of the bill. The amendment provides that a judgment or decree of the district or United States court becomes a **lien for five years** under the provisions of the first part of the section.

The amendment to Sec. 674 is as follows: the word "A" in line 7, page 2 of the bill is substituted for the word "The"; the word "original" is omitted before the word "docket"; the words "of a superior court, or of any judgment or decree of the district court or other court of the United States," are added (page 2 of the bill, lines 7, 8 and 9); the words "of the court where such judgment is docketed," are inserted in line 11 and the words "or decree" in line 13. The effect of the change is to make this section conform with the proposed amendment to Sec. 671.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 304. SPENCE.

Amends Secs. 948 and 949 of the C. C. P. and repeals Sec. 947. Section 947, which is repealed provides that certain undertakings for appeal may be in one instrument or several.

The amendment to Sec. 948 omits the specific code sections in which undertakings are mentioned and substitutes the words "undertakings mentioned in this chapter." The words "and three hundred dollars in addition," are omitted; such words would occur between the words "from," and "shall" on page 1 in line 16 of the bill.

Sec. 949 as amended leaves out the clause referring to the undertaking or deposit mentioned in Sec. 941 and inserts the following clause: "or the court in its discretion may require an undertaking in an amount to be fixed by it conditioned for the performance of the judgment or order appealed from if the same is affirmed or the appeal is dismissed;" (beginning on line 25 of page 1 of the bill to and including the semicolon in line 2, page 2. The rest of the section is practically the same with a change made in the arrangement and wording.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 305. SPENCE.

Amends Sec. 650 and adds Sec. 1018 to the C. C. P. The amendment to Sec. 650 changes the word "was" to "is" in line 14 on page 2 of the printed bill. The last paragraph of the section as it now stands is omitted and with the omission of the words "notice of appeal" is made into a new section, namely, Sec. 1018.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 306. SPENCE.

Amends Sec. 1151 of the Penal Code. The amendment adds the following sentence to the section, beginning in line 6 of the printed bill: "If the jury find the defendant guilty of larceny, embezzlement, or of defrauding a person of money, labor or property by false or fraudulent representation or pretense, the verdict shall be sufficient in law, irrespective of which of said offenses is pleaded in the indictment or information, provided the evidence warrants a conviction of any one of said offenses."

The **probable effect** of this amendment is to permit a conviction in the cases mentioned although the crime of which the defendant is guilty is not mentioned in the indictment or information.

To Committee of Judiciary.

A. B. 307. CHRISTIAN.

New General Law. Requires that commencing with the next school year instruction in the constitution of the State of California and of the United States must be given in all public and private schools, beginning not later than the opening of the eighth grade and continuing through high school and university to an extent to be determined by the superintendent of public instruction. **Repeals** all acts or parts of acts in conflict.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 308. KLINE, PRENDERGAST, JONES AND DAVIS.

New General Law. Provides for the appointment by the governor of a commission composed of the attorney general and state engineer to confer with a commission to be appointed by State of **Arizona** for the purpose of investigation of and reporting on the common boundary between the two states, and in respect to an agreement between the two states for the purpose of relocating such boundary composed of the Colorado river and for the purpose of improving and constructing the channel of such river. Such commission to report to the legislature in 1925.

The governor is empowered to forward a copy of this act to the governor of Arizona and request the appointment of representatives of that state to confer with the California commission, the expenses of the Arizona representatives to be borne by that state.

The expenses of the California commission to be paid out of the funds appropriated for the department of the attorney general and of the state engineer. This is a companion bill to S. B. 161.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 309. EMME.

New General Law. This is a companion bill to S. B. 168. For digest see said S. B.

To Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

A. B. 310. FOSTER.

New General Law. Provides for submission to the people of a \$20,000,000 bond issue for the purpose of completing the system of state highways contemplated in the highway bond acts of 1909 and 1915 and article XVI, Sec. 2 of the constitution.

The act provides for cooperation by the counties in payment of interest and combines the features of the highway bond act of 1915 and the Veterans' Welfare Bond Act of 1921.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 311. FOX.

Adds Sec. 4041g to the Pol. Code. Authorizes any county to maintain hangars and landing places for aircraft. For this purpose gives supervisors power to acquire the necessary real and personal property and power to levy an *ad valorem* tax not to exceed three mills on one dollar, or to issue bonds.

In subdivision (c) the supervisors are given power to transfer money from the general fund to a special fund created to carry out the purposes of this section. It is doubtful whether the supervisors may use money in the general fund for a special purpose such as this.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 312. POMEROY.

New General Law. The title states that the act authorizes supervisors to form assessment districts for the construction, improvement and maintenance of parks, park ways, streets, boulevards, playgrounds and lighting systems; to levy taxes and issue bonds for such purposes.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 313. POMEROY.

Adds Sec. 1894c to the Pol. Code. Requires a permit from the State Superintendent of Public Instruction to conduct a **private school** not higher than a secondary school.

Religious instruction or the method of instruction shall not be grounds for either refusing or granting such permit.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 314. POMEROY.

Adds Sec. 1844b to the Pol. Code. Provides that no **private school** shall be established or conducted by any person or persons not American citizens and that any such schools now existing under such management shall discontinue within five years after this section becomes effective. Violation is made a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine to be paid into the unapportioned school fund of the county where the school is located.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 315. BADHAM.

New General Law. Adds Secs. 1250 and 1251 to the Pol. Code. These sections provide for the establishment of **election return centers** at certain places within a county for the purpose of rapid dissemination of election returns. Such centers shall serve a certain number of precincts which shall submit the vote as it appears from each twenty-five ballots of the first one hundred counted to such center, which in turn shall communicate to the county clerk or registrar of voters the advance results so obtained. Provision is made for supplying and taking care of the operation and management of such centers.

To Committee on Elections.

A. B. 316. BADHAM.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 4348d.

Amends Sec. 1 of and adds Secs. 81½ and 14½ to the County Water Works District Act of 1913. In Sec. 1 the words "and of furnishing fire protection," are added in lines 14 and 15, page 1 of the bill.

Sec 81½ **provides** that the board of supervisors may call an election for the purpose of voting bonds for such district.

Sec. 14½ **provides** that unincorporated territory, or incorporated territory, and unincorporated territory contiguous thereto, may be organized into a county water works district provided that such territory is not included in a county irrigation or a county water works district. The procedure for forming the district and the fixing of its boundaries and the calling of elections for such purposes is provided for.

The title and Sec. 1 are **defective** in that the words "county water works bonds" are used instead of "county water works district bonds."

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 317. BADHAM.

Provides that any county, city, or school district may join with other counties, cities, or school districts to provide public entertainments of various natures: that **admission may be charged** to defray the expenses but not for the purpose of profit.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 318. WELLER.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 3937.

Amends Sec. 2 of the Street Improvement Act of 1911. The amendment makes the following changes: On line 6, page 2 of the printed bill the word "pipe" is used instead of "pipes"; in lines 7 and 8, on page 2, the following words are **added**: "appurtenances, pipe and appliances for the distribution of a water supply"; in line 9 the word "and" which would occur between the words "conduits" and "subways" is **omitted** and a comma substituted; in line 10 the word "and" is **substituted** for the word "or"; in line 22 the words "water pipes" are inserted; in line 27 the word "sidewalks" is **omitted**; in line 28 the words "public way" are **substituted** for "public ways."

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 319. WELLER.

Amends Secs. 541, 542 and 544 of the C. C. P., relating to judgments. Sec. 541 is amended by inserting the words "or to become due" page 1 of the bill, lines 5 and 6.

Sec. 542 is amended by the insertion of the words "due or to become due" on page 2, line 22 of the bill.

Sec. 544 is amended by the insertion of the words "due or to become due" in lines 39 and 40 on page 2 of the bill, and of the words "due or to become due" on line 43, and of the words "matured or unmatured," in line 45, and of the words "due or to become due" in lines 45 and 46.

The **effect** of the amendment is to provide **that property may be attached** for debts about to become due and debts matured or unmatured.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 320. STEVENOT.

New General Law. Authorizes a \$2,000,000 bond issue for construction of the Mother Lode highway in Tuolumne County and prescribes all procedure necessary thereto; **provides** that payment of one-half of the interest shall be borne by the county. **Provides** for the submission of the question to the people at general election in November, 1924. **Repeals** all acts in conflict.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 321. STEVENOT.

Deer, Gen. L. No. 2348.

Amends Sec. 2 of the Municipal Corporation Act of 1883. The section is amended by adding the clause beginning with the words "and provides" in line 2, to and including line 16 on page 2 of the printed bill. The added section **provides** that the owner of any tract or contiguous tracts not exceeding ten acres in the aggregate which are either uninhabited or devoted to agriculture or dairying may object to the inclusion of such tracts within the boundaries by filing a remonstrance thereto with the board of supervisors. If the supervisors find such conditions to exist such tracts shall be excluded from the proposed incorporation.

In lines 32 and 33 on page 2 the following words are inserted: "or as may become necessary because of an adjudication upon a remonstrance filed as aforesaid."

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 322. PEDROTTI.

New General Law. Provides that the board of supervisors may establish a revolving fund for the use of any county officers by adopting a resolution to that effect and setting forth the necessity therefor. Such fund shall not exceed \$1,000. The supervisors may reduce and diminish the fund and shall require a bond from the officer in whose favor it is credited. Also allows the sheriff a revolving fund in an amount sufficient to enable said officer to meet his expense in transporting persons committed to state institutions. **This should be worked into a Pol. Code amendment.**

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 323. PEDROTTI.

Amends Sec. 2632 of the Pol. Code, relating to the use of highways. The amendment adds the following sentence to the section: "Any sidewalk constructed under the authority of this section shall be kept in repair by the owner of the property in front of which such sidewalk was constructed."

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 324. HORNBLOWER.

Amends Sec. 628a of the Penal Code. The amendment adds new matter to the bill beginning with the word "Every" in line 1, page 2 of the bill, to and including the word "misdemeanor" in line 13, which makes it a misdemeanor to catch shad or striped bass by means of nets or seines between sunrise on Saturday and sunset of the following Sunday, and a misdemeanor to catch any striped bass in nets or seines during the period of **six years**, commencing on the first day of August, 1923, and ending on the first day of August, 1929.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 325. HORNBLOWER.

Deer. Gen. L. and Sup. No. 2665.

Amends the act of 1905, relating to Drug Clerks. The bill has changed the numbering of the sections by numbering Sec. 2 of the present act as Sec. 1 and changing the others accordingly. The wording of Sec. 1 is changed and the words "dispensary, pharmacy, laboratory or office" are inserted in line 11, page 1 of the printed bill. The proviso that the answering of emergency calls shall not be construed as a violation of the act, is omitted from the section. In Sec. 2, which is Sec. 3 of the present act, the words "dispensary, pharmacy, laboratory or office" are **added**.

The section as to penalties is the same. On page 2, line 4, the word "commissioner" is substituted for "commissioners" and in line 5, the word "is" for "are."

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

A. B. 326. HORNBLOWER.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 3867.

Amends Sec. 1 of the Prison Employment Act of 1911, by the insertion of the following clause in lines 14, 15 and 16, page 1 of the bill: "provided, however, that no articles, materials or supplies manufactured by the prisoners in the state prisons of this state shall be used in the **public schools** of this state."

To Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

A. B. 327. MRS. DORRIS.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 3693.

Amends Sec. 1 of the act of 1889, providing for the burial of ex-service men. The amendment **increases** the amount which the burial shall **not** exceed from \$75 to \$125.

To Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs.

A. B. 328. MRS. DORRIS.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 3693e.

Amends Sec. 1 of the act of 1917, providing for the care of soldiers' graves and adds Sec. 1a to said act. Sec. 1 is amended by the addition of the words "or plots" on page 1, line 18 of the printed bill.

Sec. 1a which is **added**, **provides** that whenever a fraternal or benevolent cemetery organization maintains a plot exclusively for ex-service men, the supervisors shall have power to keep such plot in order upon a showing that such care is necessary.

To Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs.

A. B. 329. MRS. DORRIS.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2230a.

Amends Sec. 1 of the act of 1913, regulating the hours of labor in underground mines. The amendment **provides** that the eight-hour working day shall commence when the miner enters the tunnel or opening of the mine and shall end when the miner emerges from the

tunnel or opening of the mine. The part inserted commences with the word "and" in line 17 of the printed bill to and including the word "workings," in line 23.

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

A. B. 330. MRS. DORRIS.

Adds Sec. 1608e to the Pol. Code. This section authorizes school districts to rent, purchase and furnish suitable buildings for the housing of pupils and employees of school districts; that district funds may be used for such purposes, and that pupils shall be housed and boarded at a cost not less than the expense incurred by the school district therefor.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 331. MRS. DORRIS.

Adds Sec. 1608d to the Pol. Code. The new section provides that school districts shall have the power to rent, purchase or build suitable buildings for the housing of employees of the district, and also have power to use district funds for such purpose.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 332. MRS. DORRIS.

Deer, Gen. L. Sup. No. 2143e.

Amends Sec. 4 of the Workmen's Compensation Act of 1917. Said section is amended by providing that the commission **must** appoint an assistant to its attorney instead of leaving the appointment in the discretion of the commission. It shall be the duty of such assistant to furnish advice and information free of cost to applicants and the relation between such assistant and applicant to be one of the strictest confidence; such assistant shall not perform any duties for the commission which are inconsistent with the relation he occupies towards any applicant.

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 333. McMILLAN.

Amends Sec. 350 of the Pol. Code, relating to assessors and assessment books. The amendment adds a paragraph to subdivision (3), lines 8 to 17, inclusive, on page 2 of the printed bill. This paragraph provides for the separation and arrangement of property in the assessment book which is contained in public highway lighting districts, road improvement districts, public fire districts or other districts for the purpose of taxation when such property embraces a part but not all of the property situated in an elementary school district.

To Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

A. B. 334. McMILLAN.

Amends Sec. 4259 of the Pol. Code. San Luis Obispo County Government Act.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 335. WILLIAMS.

Adds Sec. 592a to the Penal Code. Makes any person guilty of a misdemeanor who diverts or uses water from any well, river, channel or other body of water for the purpose of forming a lake or pond, **except** when such water is used for the purpose of irrigation; or who uses water for a period longer than is necessary for irrigation; or who by the excess use of water raises the alkaline strata on the land of another.

Note. There is a question as to the constitutionality of prohibiting a person from forming a pond on his own land by diverting water from a well or channel on his own land: **the proposed section would prohibit such an act.**

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 336. DUVAL.

Amends Sec. 4252 of the Pol. Code. Ventura County Government Act.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 337. CRITTENDEN.

Deer, Gen. L. Sup. No. 1275f.

Adds Sec. 51½ to the California Standard Apple Act of 1921, to read as follows: "All grapes shipped as 'California commercial class' which standard is established as provided in Sec. 10 hereof, must be shipped in a standard 'California lug box' plainly marked 'California commercial grade,' the contents of each of which shall be grapes of one variety and each showing not in excess of 10 per cent by weight of broken, crushed, leaky or moldy grapes."

Note. The bill is **defective** in that the date of approval of the act amended is not inserted! The date May 27, 1919, is the date of approval of the act which is **repealed** by the act amended, which later act was approved June 3, 1921.

To Committee on Agriculture.

A. B. 338. CRITTENDEN.

New General Law. Declares the public highway extending from Fresno to Tracy, in San Joaquin County, to be a state highway. The route taken by this highway runs through Mendota, Dos Palos, Los

Banos, Volta, Gustine, Newman, Crows Landing, Patterson, Wesley and Vernalis. **No appropriation.**

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 339. MORRISON.

Amends Sec. 2778 of the Civil Code, relating to indemnity contracts. Subdivision 2 of this section which provides that the person indemnified against claims, demands, damages or costs is not entitled to recovery without payment thereof is **amended** by the addition of the following matter: "**provided**, that any person, or persons, who shall recover a judgment against a person indemnified for damages for injury to the person or property of himself or another, or for the wrongful death of another, is entitled to recover such damages from the person indemnifying provided such contract of indemnity shall be in force and effect at the time such injuries are sustained."

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 340. MORRISON.

Amends Sec. 379 of the C. C. P. The amendment **adds** the sentence beginning on line 10 of the bill to and including line 20. This additional matter **provides** that in an action for damages for injury to a person, or property, or wrongful death caused by negligence, any person or corporation who has contracted to indemnify the wrongdoer may be joined as a party defendant and the subsequent cancellation of such contract shall not impair such right.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 341. LYONS.

Amends Sec. 99 of the C. C. P., relating to justices' courts in townships having a population of 400,000 or more. The section is amended by leaving out all mention of townships having a population of less than 400,000 and providing that in townships with a population of 400,000 or more the justices' court shall be composed of nine justices of the peace. In line 7 the word "they" is substituted for the word "he," the effect of which is to **take away** from the **presiding justice** the power to designate another justice to act in his stead.

Note. The bill is defective in that the words "in townships" are omitted from the title after the words "justice's courts" and that there is no section one which should state that the section is amended.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 342. MORRIS.

Appropriates \$3,526.60 to pay the claim of R. E. Collins against the state.

To Committee on Claims.

A E 341 MORRIS

Appropriates \$100,000 to pay the costs of doing business against the
State.
To Committee on Finance.

A E 342 MOLLIN

Appropriates \$100,000 to pay the costs of doing business against the
State.
To Committee on Finance.

A E 343 MRS WOODBLOOM

Amends Sec 1766 of the Pol. Code. The amendment provides that
any school board may purchase and maintain the right of ownership
in the school buildings located thereunder, and having authority
of appeal in the courts, in order to keep school buildings, including the
necessary school, if such buildings are not owned by the State.
The amendment also provides that the State shall have the right
to the use of the school buildings as provided in Sec 1766 and
1767 of the Pol. Code.
To Committee on Education.

A E 344 CLARKE

New General Law. Validates the Board of Education of the
State.
To Committee on Education.

A E 345 REEDDOLLAR

Amends Secs 1161, 1167, 1168 and 1169 of the Civil Code. Sec 1161
provides that the State shall have the right of ownership in the
school buildings, including the right of ownership in the
land on which the buildings are located, in order to keep school
buildings, including the necessary school, if such buildings are not
owned by the State. Sec 1167 provides that the State shall have the
right of ownership in the school buildings, including the right of
ownership in the land on which the buildings are located, in order to
keep school buildings, including the necessary school, if such buildings
are not owned by the State. Sec 1168 provides that the State shall
have the right of ownership in the school buildings, including the
right of ownership in the land on which the buildings are located, in
order to keep school buildings, including the necessary school, if such
buildings are not owned by the State. Sec 1169 provides that the
State shall have the right of ownership in the school buildings, including
the right of ownership in the land on which the buildings are located,
in order to keep school buildings, including the necessary school, if
such buildings are not owned by the State.

Sec 1167 provides that the State shall have the right of ownership
in the school buildings, including the right of ownership in the land
on which the buildings are located, in order to keep school buildings,
including the necessary school, if such buildings are not owned by the
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State.

the same shall **not constitute** a lien upon the property upon which the same is levied as against any subsequent purchaser or person parting with money in good faith in reliance upon the non-recording of such lien with the county recorder **unless** such lien shall have been duly recorded prior to the record of notice of action.

Sec 1168a **provides** that the assessments, bonds or charges required to be recorded under the last section, if such notice covers more than one parcel of land, must be alphabetically arranged with respect to the names of the persons to whom the property was assessed and such list shall create no lien if the owner's name is stated as unknown and if the name of such owner appears upon the last assessment roll of the county. Such notice **must** contain a brief description of the property, the amount of the lien, the character of the lien and a space where payment thereof can be noted by the recorder. Upon payment of any such assessment, bond or charge the officer receiving the same **must** receipt therefor and transmit a copy of the receipt to the recorder, who **must** file the same and mark the bond paid.

To Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

A. B. 348. LYMAN.

Adds Sec. 1671 to the C. C. P. The new section **provides** that if an heir, legatee or devisee dies before distribution to him of his portion, such property shall become a part of his estate the same as if he were living.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 349. LYMAN.

Amends Sec. 2889 of the Civil Code. The amendment adds the words "other than deeds of trust" in line 6 of the printed bill.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 350. SMITH.

Amends Sec. 4029 of the Pol. Code. The amendment makes it compulsory upon supervisors to change the boundaries of supervisor districts after every United States census. At present the supervisors **may** make such change by a two-thirds vote of the board.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 351. KLINE.

Amends Sec. 4244 of the Pol. Code. **Riverside County Government Act.**

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 352. CRITTENDEN.

Amends Sec 1607 of the Penal Code. The amendment adds the words "or when the condition of any prisoner or prisoners committed thereto or confined therein, becomes such, through accident or sickness that in the opinion of the physician thereof, such prisoner or prisoners, should be removed therefrom," to the section as it now stands. The effect of the amendment is to provide that prisoners in such condition may be removed to a safe and convenient place and be kept there as long as necessary.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 353. BADHAM

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 4263i.

Amends the act of 1919 transferring the Los Angeles normal school to the University of California.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Universities

A. B. 354. SPALDING.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2643.

Amends Sec. 5 of the Teachers' Retirement Salary Act of 1913. The section as amended does away with the monthly payment of \$1 and substitutes a semi-annual payment in June and in December of \$6. Provides that such payment shall be made for not less than 30 years. Provides for the manner of making payment and permits one yearly payment of \$12. Provides for a deposit of payments weekly in the county treasury and that such fund shall be sent each year to the state treasurer, together with a list of the names of and the amounts paid by each teacher.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 355. WHITACRE.

Amends Sec. 1365 of the C. C. P. Beginning in line 21 of the printed bill the following sentence is added: "The relatives enumerated in the first five subdivisions of this section may request the appointment of some competent person which person shall be entitled to administer the estate in the place of the person making the appointment." The words "or some competent person whom he or she may request to have appointed" which would follow subdivision one are omitted.

The effect of the amendment is to permit relatives mentioned in the first five subdivisions to appoint some one in their stead to administer the estate.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 356. WHITACRE.

This bill **purports** to amend section 1920 of the Civil Code, which section was **repealed** in 1919 by the usury law (Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1675), which law **provides for a seven per cent rate of interest on judgments.**

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 357. FULWIDER.

Amends Sec. 4243 of the Pol. Code. Sonoma County Government Act. Provides for salaries of constables in Sonoma County. On page 5 of the bill in line 16 the word "six" is substituted for the word "five." Provision is made for a salary of \$15 per month for constables in townships having population of 1500 and less than 4000.

Sec. 2 declares the act to be an emergency measure, in as much as the 1921 amendment to this section provides for no constables' salary in townships having a population of 1500 and less than 4000.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 358. FULWIDER AND DONOHUE.

Amends Sec. 4243 of the Pol. Code. Sonoma County Government Act.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 359. McMILLAN.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 504.

Amends Secs. 1, 2, 3 and 4 of the act of 1901 establishing the California Polytechnic School. Sec. 1 is amended by substituting the words in lines 9 and 10, page 1 of the printed bill "such arts, sciences and vocations" for the enumeration of the arts and sciences in the section as it now stands. Sec. 2 is amended by providing that the schools shall be under the administration of the state department of education as provided by law. Sec. 2 as it now stands **provides** for the appointment of a **board of trustees** for the government of the institution. Sec. 3 is amended by providing that the powers and duties of the department of education with relation to said school shall be the same as with teachers colleges. Sec. 4 as amended provides that young persons residents of California shall be entitled to the benefits of the school free of charge and that non-residents may be admitted when the capacity permits upon the **payment of a tuition** which will equal the net cost for such students.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 360. CLEVELAND.

Amends Sec. 4387 of the Pol. Code. In line 6 of the printed bill the word "shall" is **substituted** for the word "must" and in line 11 the words "the city funds" are **substituted** for the words "such fund." The following sentence is **added** to the section, beginning in line 11: "Whenever a taxpayer files an objection with the treasurer of such city to a claim which has been allowed for the city and institutes injunction proceedings against the payment of such claim, if such claim is found to be illegal the treasurer shall pay to such taxpayer the sum of one hundred dollars as costs and attorney's fees."

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 361. CLEVELAND.

Amends Sec. 4077 of the Pol. Code. The word "county" which would occur in line 4 of the bill between the words "proper" and "charge" is **omitted**. The following sentence is **added** to the section, beginning in line 12: "Whenever a taxpayer files an objection with the treasurer or auditor of such county to a claim which has been allowed by the county and institutes injunction proceedings against the payment of such claim, if such amount is found to be illegal the auditor or treasurer shall pay to such taxpayer the sum of one hundred dollars as costs and attorney's fees."

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 362. MISS MILLER.

Amends Sec. 1662 of and adds Sec. 1662a to the Pol. Code. Sec. 1662 is amended by the addition of the words "and one-half years" in line 17, page 1 of the printed bill. This change raises the age of admission to a kindergarten from **four** to **four and one-half years**. That part of the section commencing with subdivision seventh is **omitted** from the section as amended and a new section, 1662a, is **added** to the code to take care of the provisions contained in the part omitted. This new section makes several changes in the corresponding part of Sec. 1662 as it now stands. The last full week of October of each odd-numbered year is designated as official registration week for minors under eighteen **instead** of the first such week of each year, and the words "and over three years of age," referring to minors, are **omitted**. No other notice than posting on the school-house to advertise the registration date is required. Provision is made for the appointment of a registrar of minors and necessary assistants. The present section **provides** that the principal and school teachers shall serve in such capacities. It is made the duty of such registrar during registration week to visit each home within the school district and make a complete registration of minors and furnish such additional information as the superintendent of public instruction may deem necessary. Any one over twenty-one years of age refusing to answer or falsely answering any question by the registrar shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and fined not over

one hundred dollars. The expense of the registration to be paid out of the county or special fund of the school district.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 363. KLINE.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 297.

Amends Sec. 9 of the Bank Act of 1909. The amendment adds the paragraph on page 2, lines 34 to 49, inclusive, which **provides** that no branch banks shall hereafter be established; that the superintendent of banks **shall not** have power to approve the establishment of a branch outside of the city in which the principal place of business is located; that the foregoing provisions of the section and all parts of the act relating to the establishment of branch banks shall refer only to the establishment of such branch banks in the city where the principal place of business is located.

To Committee on Banking.

A. B. 364. CARTER.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1290a.

Amends Sec. 1 of the act of 1913, relating to the investment of city or county funds. The amendment **provides** that surplus city or county funds may be used for the purchase of **bonds of flood control or irrigation districts** situated in whole or in part within the limits of such county or city. The inserted matter appears on page 1 of the printed bill in lines 18, 19, 20, 21 and 22.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 365. CARTER.

Amends Secs. 4041, 4041a, 4041b, 4041c, 4041d, 4041e and 4041f of, and adds Secs. 4041g to 4041z, inclusive, to the Pol. Code, relating to powers and duties of supervisors.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 366. CARTER.

The following sections of the Pol. Code are repealed: 1745, 1746, 1746a, 1747, 1748, 1749, 1880, 1881, 1882, 1883, 1884, 1885, 1885a, 1886, 1887, 1888, 1888a and 1889.

The following sections are **added** to the Pol. Code: 1880, 1881, 1882, 1883, 1883a, 1883b, 1883c, 1883d, 1883e, 1883f, 1883g, 1884, 1885, 1885a, 1886, 1887 and 1888. Secs. 1745 to 1749, both inclusive, which are repealed refer to high school bonds and no sections of the same number are added to the code. Secs. 1880 to 1889, inclusive, which are repealed refer to bonds and the procedure for voting and issuing them in any school districts. New sections are added with numbers corresponding to those sections repealed. Secs. 1883a to 1883g, both inclusive, which are **added** to the code, are new section numbers.

Sec. 1880 as amended **provides** for the calling of elections by the governing board of any elementary school district, high school district, junior college district or other public school district. Sec. 1880 as it now stands refers to the **governing body** of any school district. Some changes are made in the specification of purposes for which money may be raised. The new Sec. 1881 combines, with certain changes, the present Secs. 1881 and 1882 as to notice of election and what such notice shall contain. The new Sec. 1882 **provides** that the board may divide the district into election precincts. The new Sec. 1883 **provides** that if the polling place selected by the board is not available on election day a new place may be selected and notices posted showing the change. The new Secs. 1883a to 1883g, both inclusive, refer to procedure and conduct of elections. The new Sec. 1884 **provides** for the canvass of the votes. The new Sec. 1885 **prescribes** the form of the bonds and **provides** for the issuing and printing of the same. The new Sec. 1885a makes the additional provision that any change in the seal of the board of supervisors after the execution of any bonds and before delivery shall in no way affect the validity of said bonds. The new Sec. 1886 **provides** for the payment of principal and interest on bonds by tax levy and the **creation** of a sinking fund. The new Sec. 1887 **provides** for the liability to taxation for any outstanding bonded indebtedness when elementary school districts or high school districts are created or abolished or the boundaries changed. Sec. 1888a as it now stands deals with the same subject as Sec. 1887 and is **repealed**. The new Sec. 1888 **provides** for the canceling of unsold bonds. Sec. 1889 as it now stands deals with same subject as Sec. 1880 and is **repealed**. The **probable effect** of the bill as stated in Sec. 1, is to establish one procedure for the issuance of school bonds applicable to **all** school districts.

To Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

A. B. 367. CARTER.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1468c.

Amends the Street and Street Improvement Act of 1921. The title of the act is amended to include work in, under and upon highways, streets, etc., and to include such streets and highways forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality where such municipality joins unincorporated territory of the county whether such streets or highways are **wholly** within or without the municipality. Sec. 1 is amended by making practically the same **changes** as those just mentioned as being made in the title. The supervisors are given power to **appoint** any competent county officer other than surveyor, who shall perform, without compensation, the duties conferred by the "Improvement Act of 1911" upon the city engineer except the duties relating to diagramming the assessment district, making the assessments, making, issuing and recording diagram assessments, warrant, return of the warrant and the collection of the assessments, lines 15 to 23, inclusive, on page 3 of the printed bill. Sec. 2 as amended, **provides** that if any improvements for lighting purposes, fire protection, sanitation, drainage, water supply or water distribution shall be constructed under the provisions of this act or are contemplated to

be so constructed, the supervisors may declare by resolution their intention to create an assessment and maintenance district including land to be benefited by such improvement which shall pay for the expense of construction and maintenance of the said improvements. Any person may protest according to the provisions of the "Improvement Act of 1911" and if such protest includes the owners of more than one-half of the property included within the proposed district no further proceedings shall be taken for six months unless by a four-fifths vote of the supervisors. Notice must be given that such district is to be formed in order that protests may be entered. A copy of the resolution ordering formation shall be filed with the county assessor who shall segregate the property included within the district when making up his assessment roll. At the time of fixing the county tax rates the supervisors shall estimate the cost of maintenance and operation of said improvements and decide whether such expense shall be borne wholly or partially by the maintenance district and fix a special tax therefor within the district. This section includes most of the provisions of Sec. 3 as it now stands. Sec. 3 gives the board of supervisors the power and **makes** it their duty to take charge of the administration of the maintenance district in their county. All contracts shall be advertised for two or more days in a newspaper for the purpose of receiving bids and shall be let to the lowest bidder; the board may require a bond for the faithful performance of the contract. The supervisors may order that the county itself do any of the work contemplated herein. Sec. 4 **provides** that all property acquired by the district shall vest in the county and upon dissolution of the district by reason of being included within an incorporated city such property shall become the property of the city. Sec. 5 **provides** for the dissolution of the district by the supervisors upon a petition signed by the owners of more than one-half of the district property and prescribes the procedure therefor. If only part of the district is included within an incorporated city the district shall continue to function until dissolved by petition. Sec. 6 **provides** that any expenses of improvement may be borne by the county upon determination of the supervisors either out of the general fund, or general road fund or from the road district fund of the road district in which the improvements are located. Sec. 7 **provides** that the expense of any improvements made on highways or streets forming the exterior boundaries of municipalities, whether wholly or partly within the boundaries of such city, shall be borne by assessment upon lands benefited within the municipality the same as though such lands were in unincorporated territory. Sec. 8 **provides** that the supervisors may adopt a name for the district and change the name of any streets or highways and may also establish the official grade of any streets or highways where it has not already been established. Sec. 10 **provides** that the act shall be liberally construed and may be designated as the **County Improvement Act of 1921.**

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 368. SCHMIDT.

New General Law, prohibiting blacklisting. Defines blacklisting as an understanding or agreement whereby the names of any person or persons, list of names, description or other means of identification shall be spoken, printed, written or implied for the purpose of being communicated or transmitted between two or more employers of labor, their bosses, foremen, superintendents, managers or other agents whereby a laborer is prevented or prohibited from engaging in a useful occupation. Any employer who shall command or persuade a person to furnish information as to his former employers or any employer who shall discharge a person because of any blacklist of a former employer or because of former affiliation with any corporation, organization or society, or discharged by any employer, shall be guilty of a **felony** and punished by imprisonment for not less than one year nor more than five years and liable in damages in a civil action to the person injured for not less than one thousand dollars. Any violation of the provisions of this act shall be taken as **prima facie evidence** of a blacklist and the offense against each individual shall constitute a separate and distinct violation of the act. **Repeals** all acts in conflict.

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

A. B. 369. ROSENSHINE.

New General Law. Authorizes the conveyance by the state through the **governor** to the city and county of San Francisco of a right of way for a boulevard over certain land in San Francisco now owned by the state, a technical description of which is given in the act.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 370. DONOHUE.

Amends Sec. 2653 of the Pol. Code. The amendment substitutes the word "to" which is the second word in line 4, for the word "at" and **adds** the following clause, beginning with the second word in line 12, to and including line 15: "**and provided, further,** that not less than **ten** per centum of the said property highway tax shall be expended for the construction or maintenance of such roads as may lie contiguous to the property assessed for such purposes."

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 371. DAWSON.

Adds Sec. 4221a to the Pol. Code, relating to the county surveyor.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 372. DAWSON.

New General Law. Authorizes the board of supervisors to lease to a city and county public building within a city which is not entirely needed for county purposes. This should be placed in the Political Code.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 373. DAWSON.

Amends Sec. 4300b of the Pol. Code, relating to sheriffs' fees. Adds the following sentence to the section, page 2 of the printed bill, lines 14 and 15: "For executing and delivering a release from garnishment or attachment, twenty-five cents."

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 374. DAWSON.

Amends Secs. 3356, 3357 and repeals Sec. 3358 of the Pol. Code. The amendment to Sec. 3356 provides for a blank receipt space on each license for the signature of the tax collector instead of a separate blank receipt for such signature attached to the license.

Sec. 3357 is amended by the addition of the following words at the end of the section as it now stands: "and keep a correct account of all licenses delivered to, sold or returned unsold by the tax collector and must require from him a monthly statement therefor."

Sec. 3358 which is repealed, reads as follows: "The auditor must keep in his office the stumps of all licenses by him delivered to the tax collector, and a ledger in which he must keep the collector's account for all licenses delivered to him, sold, or returned unsold by him. A correct statement of the collector's license account must be certified to the county treasurer each month by the auditor."

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 375. WRIGHT.

Amends Sec. 1859 of the Pol. Code, relating to the number of days a school shall be maintained in each school district. The amendment increases the number of days of actual teaching from "one hundred and sixty days" to "one hundred seventy days" which a public school must maintain to entitle it to receive any apportionment of state or county moneys.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 376. COOMBS.

New General Law. The title states the bill provides for a system of preferential voting for all elections preserving the features of the direct primary law and repeals all acts in conflict.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Elections.

A. B. 377. SMITH.

New General Law. Defines bucketing and bucket shopping and prohibits the same. This is a companion bill to S. B. 220. For digest see said Senate bill.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 378. GRAVES.

New General Law. The title states that the bill provides for the supervision and regulation of transportation by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; provides for the enforcement of the act and **repeals** the Jitney Bus Act of 1917. (Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 2331d.)

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

A. B. 379. T. A. MITCHELL.

New General Law. Provides that all Portland cement manufactured in this state shall be packed in **dust-proof containers** and gives the labor commissioner power to prevent the loading or unloading of any cement in or for any vessel, freight car, railroad or railway in this state if the cement is not packed as provided in this act; makes any one violating the provisions of the act guilty of a misdemeanor and punishable by a fine of not less than fifty dollars or more than two hundred dollars or by imprisonment for not more than sixty days or by both.

Note. A question might arise whether this act is in interference with interstate commerce.

To Committee on Manufactures.

A. B. 380. McPHERSON.

New General Law. **Authorizes** the Department of Public Works to investigate and report upon the advisability, construction and control of certain major water projects in this state. **Does not state what the projects are.**

To Committee on Conservation.

A. B. 381. BROMLEY.

Adds Sec. 3779 to the Pol. Code, which reads as follows: "Any moneys heretofore paid to the county treasurer for the use of purchasers of state lands for uncollected taxes, under section three thousand seven hundred seventy-nine of the Political Code as it existed prior to its repeal in 1895, and remaining unclaimed by or unpaid to such purchasers at the time this act takes effect, may be transferred to the general fund, for the use and benefit of the county, upon an order to that effect by the board of supervisors."

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 382. BROMLEY.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2374a.
Stats. 1913, p. 587.

Amends Sec. 10 of the act of 1913, providing for the annexation of territory by municipal corporations. The amendment provides that the city portion of taxes levied for road purposes on lands within the territory annexed shall be ascertained and paid to the city as directed in Sec. 2656 of the Pol. Code instead of as in the manner directed in this section as it now stands.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 383. BROMLEY.

Amends Sec. 1160 of the Pol. Code, relating to the opening and closing of polling places. The amendment adds the following sentence to the section as it now stands: "During the entire time that a polling place is open there shall be displayed from a staff directly in front of the entrance of such polling place a United States flag not less than four feet in length and not less than two feet in width, which shall be furnished in the same manner as other election supplies."

To Committee on Elections.

A. B. 384. BROMLEY.

New General Law. Authorizes the supervisors of any county having a county jail larger than needed to contract with any city within the county to care for and maintain prisoners of the city.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 385. LYONS.

New General Law. Makes dealing in futures a felony and defines dealing in futures as a contract for the purchase or sale and delivery of any commodity or other thing of value on a margin when there is no intention to actually deliver the thing but merely to receive or pay the difference between the agreed price and the market price at the time of settlement. The bill provides it **shall not** apply to transactions by mail or wire with persons outside of the state.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 386. LYONS.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 3928.

Amends Sec. 8 of the Street Opening Act of 1903. The amendment makes no provision for a plaintiff demanding a trial by a jury as in the present section, leaving this privilege only to the defendants, and adds the provision, that if any of the defendants demand a trial by jury or by the court without a jury, the action as to such defendant or defendants shall be set for such a trial.

The amendment provides that the action must be in issue before a motion may be made to set the action for trial. Beginning with

the second word in line 11, page 1 of the printed bill, the following words are **added**: "or when all parties defendant have either answered or filed disclaimers of any interest in the property sought to be condemned, or any part thereof,".

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 387. PEDROTTI.

New General Law. Anti Trading Stamp Act. Provides that every person shall have a license which shall cost \$6,000 before such person may issue or furnish any other person with **trading stamps** or similar devices which shall entitle purchasers receiving the same in any sale of goods or merchandise to secure free of charge, or for less than the market price, other merchandise. **Makes** violation of the act a misdemeanor punishable by a fine of not less than \$20 and not more than \$500 or by imprisonment for not less than ten days nor more than six months, or by both. **Repeals** all acts or parts of acts in conflict.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 388. FOX.

Adds Sec. 1764c to the Pol. Code, which provides that school trustees and city boards of education maintaining evening and high school classes must use all funds accruing to the district from attendance in such classes for the purpose of maintaining such classes.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 389. ROBERTS.

Amends Sec. 689 of the C. C. P., relating to third party claims. The amendment provides that when property levied on is claimed by a third person the plaintiff must indemnify **such third person** against the loss of the property and not indemnify the sheriff as the present section provides; such undertaking shall be filed with the county clerk. A proviso is added that nothing contained in this section shall be construed as releasing the sheriff from liability where the sureties on the undertaking are insufficient.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 390. WELLER.

Amends Sec. 1557 of the Penal Code. Adds the following words to the section: "shall include such sum or sums necessarily expended to obtain custody of such fugitive from any foreign government or any state of the United States and"; lines 11, 12 and 13 of the printed bill.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 391. WELLER.

Amends Sec. 4085a of the Pol. Code. This section relates to the simplifying of accounting whenever a uniform tax is levied for replenishing a special fund. The amendment leaves out mention of the fact that the tax rate to be used for such fund shall be added to the general fund tax rate. In line 12 of the bill the words "in any one fiscal year" are **added**. The amendment **provides** that the sum appropriated from the general fund for the special fund shall not exceed "the sum of the amount which would be produced by multiplying the total valuation taxable for such purposes at the rate permitted to be levied therefor; and the amount of any unexpended appropriations for such purpose from preceding fiscal years"; **the present section provides** such sum shall not exceed "the total which would have been received if such special tax had been levied and collected separately." That part of the section dealing with appropriations made from the general fund instead of from a special fund as herein permitted is **omitted** from the amendment.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 392. WELLER.

Amends Sec. 4305 of the Pol. Code. The amendment **adds** the following sentence to the section: "Whenever the board of supervisors of any county shall elect to act under the provisions of Sec. 4085a of this code, such fees may be deposited in the general fund and such salaries may be paid from the general fund."

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 393. WELLER.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1295d.

Amends Secs. 1 and 28 and adds Sec. 56 to the Fish and Game District Act of 1917. The bill is **defective** in that the date of approval is omitted after the title of the amended act.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 394. WELLER.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1285.

Amends Sec. 1 of the act of 1907, regulating the deposits of county and municipal money. The amendment inserts the words "or in the custody of any county or municipality" (line 9 of the bill). The amendment **provides** that deposit may be made in any national bank or banks within the state; or in any bank, banks or corporations authorized and licensed to do a banking business and organized under the laws of this state; the present section **provides** deposits may be made only in state or national banks in this state. The amendment **provides** that the bonds which must be given as security may be United States, state, county, municipal, school district or irrigation district bonds or of any other political subdivision

within the state, and leaves out mention of water works district bonds. That part of the section dealing with the market value of bonds, rate of interest, etc., is omitted from the amendment. This bill is probably drawn to conform to the amendment to Sec. 16½ of article XI of the constitution, adopted at the last general election. (See senate bills 105 and 106.)

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 395. WELLER.

New General Law. The bill provides that the supervisors may direct the county surveyor to prepare a map of land which has not been platted or subdivided into numbered, lettered or otherwise concisely and conveniently described lots or parcels, and so number and letter such land. Such maps shall be prepared in accordance with the act of 1907 requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions. (Deer. Gen. L. No. 2065.) If such map is approved by the supervisors it shall be reorded as prescribed in Sec. 7 of the act of 1907. Thereafter such land may be described for all purposes by reference to such maps.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 396. ROBERTS.

Amends Sec. 2645 of the Pol. Code, relating to the duties of road commissioners.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 397. POMEROY.

New General Law. Applies the provisions of the "Street Opening Act of 1903" (Deer. Gen. L. No. 3928) to unincorporated territory and gives the supervisors the power to do in unincorporated territory such work as is provided for in that act. The supervisors may determine that the expense of such work be paid from the general fund or general road fund or from the road district fund of the road district in which said work is done. The supervisors are authorized to issue bonds for such work in accordance with the Street Improvement Bond Act of 1911 (Deer. Gen. L. No. 390); applies the provisions of that act to the proposed act. Sec. 5 provides that the act shall be liberally construed and that it may be referred to as the "County Street Opening Act of 1923."

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 398. POMEROY.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1466.

Amends Sec. 18b of the Lighting District Act of 1909, and adds Sec. 18c thereto. The principal change in Sec. 18b is in relation to the annexation of part of a lighting district by a city. The amendment provides that if the assessed value of the part of the district so

annexed **exceeds** the assessed valuation of that portion of the district not annexed, the control and administration of the district shall be taken over by the city. If the assessed valuation of such portion is **less** than that of the portion not annexed the control of the district and the administration of its affairs and funds shall remain in the county which shall have authority to levy taxes upon all the property in the district including the part annexed by the municipality. Sec. 18c, which is **added**, **provides** the procedure for the dissolution of a lighting district. Sec. 18 of the present act **also provides** a method of dissolution and **Sec. 18 is not repealed**.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 399. POMEROY.

Amends Sec. 4225a of the Pol. Code, relating to county health officers. The amendment **adds** the words "or school district or high school district within such county" in lines 8 and 9, page 1 of the printed bill; the word "unincorporated" is **substituted** for the word "incorporated" in line 8 of the printed bill. The words "school district or high school district" are **added** throughout the section, making the section applicable to such districts as well as to cities and towns. The amendment **provides** that the provisions of this section shall not authorize any contract covering the required instruction in physical education. The matter beginning with the word "provided" in line 7, page 2 of the bill to and including line 25 is **added**, and provides for the payment of such health officers by school districts and the reports of such officers. In lines 36 and 37 the following words are added "except in school districts or high school districts."

Note. There are **two** sections of the Pol. Code numbered 4225a.

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

A. B. 400. POMEROY.

The **purpose** of this bill is to **add a new Sec. 542b to the C. C. P.**, to read as follows: "Whenever personal property, capable of manual delivery, has been attached and it becomes necessary to place the same in storage the cost thereof shall be borne by the plaintiff." **The bill is defective** in that it states that a new article is added to the code, while the purpose of the bill is evidently to add merely a new section.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 401 POMEROY.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1465.

Amends the title and Secs. 1, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 18, 27, 28 and 29 of the Road District Act of 1907. The title is amended by the insertion of the words "for work upon property and rights of way owned by counties," line 17, page 1 of the printed bill, and line 1 on page 2). Sec. 1 is amended to include the same words and the powers

vested in the supervisors are rearranged and set out in separate subdivisions. On page 3, beginning with line 10, the following words are **added**: "and to include in said district land within the boundaries of any incorporated city whenever in the opinion of such board of supervisors said land would be benefited by the proposed work"; on the same page, lines 22 to 33, inclusive, are **added**, which **authorizes** the supervisors with the consent of an incorporated city to do any of the work mentioned in this act in such city when necessary to complete or to connect with any work outside of the city.

Sec. 3 is **amended** by the **addition** of the following words, beginning in line 6, page 4: "and may contain a map or plat of said district upon which the border line thereof shall be indicated by a colored border line and which map, if so attached, shall govern for all details as to the extent of said district."

Sec. 4. On page 5 of the bill, beginning in line 9, the following word are added: "after the date of issuance of the bonds, the number in this blank, not to exceed that permitted by this act.)", in lieu of the words "not to exceed five after the bonds are issued." The instructions for describing the territory to be included within the district are changed: page 5, lines 18 to 31, inclusive.

In Sec. 6 the following sentence, which would appear immediately preceding line 32, page 6, is **omitted**: "Facts in proof of such publication and posting shall be filed with the clerk of the board of supervisors." The words "the posting and" which would appear immediately after the word "Since" in line 33 are **omitted**, as are also the words "(they need not be simultaneous)," which would appear immediately after the word "publication" in line 34.

The amendment to Sec. 7 provides that a protest against the work to be done must be made by "the owners of a majority in area of the land within the district to be assessed" **instead of** by "a majority of the owners of the land within the district" as the section now provides. In lines 11 and 12, page 7, the words "six months" are substituted for the words "one year." The present section **provides** that if a protest is not made by a majority of the owners within the district the board shall so find and may proceed with the hearing and such finding may be considered merely **an announcement** of the board. The amendment changes this part of the section to **provide** that if the owners of a majority in area of the land within the district do not make protest the board shall have power to order the work done and to pass a resolution to that effect which shall be **a conclusive determination** binding upon all persons within the district. A change is made as to the hearing of protests.

The amendment to Sec. 8 **provides** that a resolution of the supervisors to proceed with the work may be made at any time after the conclusion of the hearing. This section as it now reads **provides** that such resolution shall be made "in conclusion" of the hearing. The amendment also **provides** that the district so described in the resolution shall be **the district to be assessed** for all purposes of the proceeding, and until all bonds to be issued for which the cost of the work shall have been fully paid and discharged.

The amendment to Sec. 9 **substitutes**, at the beginning of the section, the words "if the board of supervisors shall order the work to be

done they shall fix a date for receiving bids" for the words "in like manner the board of supervisors may order the work to be done and if it so do shall fix a time for receiving bids."

The amendment to Sec. 18 **omits** the words "or copies" after the word "copy" in line 29, page 9. The last paragraph as it now stands, providing for proof of publication and also for the continuing of the hearing if a quorum is not present, is **omitted** by the amendment.

The amendment to Sec. 27 **adds** the words "or any bond or bonds issued," in line 40, page 9, and in lines 45 and 46 the words "issued or." The **probable effect** of the change is to make the section apply to bonds which have **already been issued** as well as those which are proposed to be issued.

The amendment to Sec. 28 **adds** the words "the aggregate of" in lines 27 and 28, page 10, and the following words, beginning in line 28, page 10: "and the incidental expenses of the original proceedings for said work, and shall also include interest thereon from the date of original acceptance of said work by the board of supervisors if so accepted) and a description of the district of land benefited thereby." The words "and a description of the district of land benefited thereby" in the preceding quotation are **substituted** for the words "and the exterior boundaries of the districts of land benefited thereby" in the section as it now stands. In line 51 the heading of the blank is changed to read "notice of hearing on proposed new bond issue" instead of "notice of filing report for proposed new bond issue." In line 29, page 11, the word "newspapers" is substituted for the word "newspaper."

The amendment to Sec. 29 **adds** the words "the aggregate of" in line 48, page 11 and the following words, beginning in line 49: "and the incidental expenses of the original proceedings for said work and shall also include interest thereon from the date of original acceptance of said work by the board of supervisors, if so accepted." and in line 52 **substitutes** the words "or the extent" for the words "or the boundaries." Beginning in line 8, page 12, the following words are added: "and that bonds shall be issued as therein provided." In line 14 the word "ordered" is **substituted** for the word "specified." At the end of the sentence the following words are added: "upon surrender for cancellation of the original bonds, if any, issued for said work."

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 402. WILLIAMS.

Adds Sec. 737mm to the Pol. Code. Increases the salaries of the judges of the Superior Court in Merced and Madera counties from \$4,000 to \$5,000.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 403. SNYDER.

Amends Sec. 4225 of the Pol. Code, relating to local health officers. The amendment **substitutes** the word "three" for the word "one" in line 8, page 2 of the printed bill, **increasing** the amount of compensation which a special health officer may receive in one year from \$100 to \$300.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 404. SNYDER.

Amends Sec. 927 of the C. C. P., relating to small claims courts. The amendment inserts the words "arising out of claims for wages" in line 8 of the bill, and the word "and" in line 9 of the printed bill.

The **probable effect** of the amendment is to limit the jurisdiction of the small claims court to **wage claims**.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 405. C. C. BAKER.

Amends Sec. 1193 of the Penal Code, relating to judgment in criminal cases. The amendment **provides** when judgment imposing the death penalty is stayed by an appeal and the judgment is affirmed by the appellate court, sentence may be reimposed upon the defendant in **his absence** by the court from which the appeal was taken and prescribes the manner in which this may be done. Under the present section the defendant must be personally present.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 406. C. C. BAKER.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 635.

Amends Secs. 2, 3, 12 and 13 of the Junior College District Act of 1921. The amendment to Sec. 2 **adds** subdivision 4 to the section. This subdivision **provides** for joint junior college districts including two or more contiguous high school districts lying in two or more counties, the other requirements being the same as for other junior college districts.

The amendment to Sec. 3 **provides** for the procedure and election for the formation of a joint junior college district.

The amendment to Sec. 12 inserts the words "of each county in which any part of their junior college district is situated," beginning in line 15, page 5 of the bill. Beginning in line 35, page 5, some words have evidently been **omitted** as the sentence is not complete. Beginning in line 39, page 5, the following words are **added**: "having jurisdiction over the junior college district."

The amendment to Sec. 13 is as follows: In line 10, page 6, the word "estimate" is **substituted** for the word "estate," which is a misprint in the present act. The amendment provides that taxes for a joint junior college district shall be levied in accordance with the provisions of Sec. 3 of the act. The last paragraph as it now stands,

providing that the county auditor must levy the tax required in this section if the supervisors fail to do so, is **omitted**.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 407. C. C. BAKER.

Amends Sec. 4272 of the Pol. Code. San Benito County Government Act.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 408. CLEVELAND.

Adds Sec. 1753 to the Pol. Code. Provides that the State Board of Education may call an annual convention of the chairmen of the boards of high school trustees or may divide the state into four districts for such annual conventions, the traveling expenses of each chairman who **must** attend to be paid by the high school board. Any member of the board of trustees is allowed the privilege of attending such convention.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 409. MORRISON.

New General Law. Provides for the creation of the office of State Fire Marshal at a salary of \$1.00 per year; **provides** that the Fire Marshal shall attend **every** fire outside the limits of any incorporated city within the state, "if possible," and prescribes his duties. **Repeals** all acts or parts of acts in conflict.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 410. CRITTENDEN.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 3035.

Amends Secs. 6, 9, 12, 13, 14, 17, 21 and 24 of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District Act of 1911 and Repeals Sec. 7, 16 $\frac{1}{2}$, 18 and 33 thereof.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

A. B. 411. CRITTENDEN.

New General Law. Makes a continuous **appropriation** of \$250,000 a year for eight years, or a **total** of \$2,000,000 for construction, reconstruction and improvement of all state highways in San Joaquin County.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 412. EKSWARD AND NOYES.

Amends Sec. 1612 of the Pol. Code, relating to contracts for school materials and supplies. The amendment inserts the figures “(\$500)” in the section in line 7 of the printed bill after the words “two hundred dollars.” The meaning is not clear as to which amount the amendment intends to prescribe. In line 8 the following words are added: “Other than school furniture, supplies, and equipment.”

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 413. DUVAL.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 23311

Amends Sec. 15 of the Motor Vehicle Act of 1915. The amendment makes the following change beginning in line 36, page 3 of the bill a penalty of \$100 is prescribed for the first full ton, and \$250 for each additional full ton in excess of the limitation imposed in this section. The section as it now stands provides for a \$20 penalty for each full ton in excess of the limitation.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

A. B. 414. DOZIER.

Amends Sec. 4284 of the Pol. Code. Trinity County Government Act.
SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 415. DOZIER.

Amends Sec. 10 of the Pol. Code. The amendment leaves out the twelfth day of October, or “Columbus Day,” from the list of holidays and that part of the section providing that if the holidays mentioned fall upon a Sunday the following Monday shall be a holiday, and also that part of the section relating to Saturday afternoons. Part of the bill has been omitted and it is incomplete as it now stands in the printed bill.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 416. REINDOLLAR.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 3351

Repeals Sec. 28 of the Sanitary District Act of 1919. Said section reads as follows:

Sec. 28. Whenever any sanitary district has an outstanding indebtedness evidenced by the bonds thereof, the sanitary board or other governing body thereof shall have the power at any election calling for the issuance of additional bonds for the construction of a larger or more comprehensive sewer or other sanitary system in the original district or in a sanitary district whose boundaries have been altered by the annexation of outlying contiguous territory thereto as provided for in this act, to submit to the qualified electors of such sanitary district the question of declaring all or any of such bonds to

be at once due and payable, and provided for the payment or retirement thereof out of moneys to be realized from the sale of such additional bonds.

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

A. B. 417. CARLSON.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 53.

Amends Sec. 1 of the act of 1919, prohibiting the advertising of remedies for venereal diseases by inserting at the end of such section the words "except the waters of any natural spring."

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

A. B. 418. CARLSON.

Repeals Sec. 3897a of the Pol. Code. Said section reads as follows: 3897a. When, in his opinion, it would be for the best interest of the state to sell any or all parcels of the tax deeded lands of any county, it shall be the duty of the controller to provide for listing and a classification of any or all such lands and direct the tax collector, with the consent of the board of supervisors, to proceed to arrange for the sale as provided for in the preceding section. The notice shall be given by posting or publication as required by section three thousand eight hundred ninety-seven of this code. All expenses of the sale are to become a charge against the property to be sold and no redemption can be made under section three thousand eight hundred seventeen of this code without including also that proportional cost of the sale resting upon the certain lot or parcel to be redeemed. In any case in which no sale is made, the cost thereof shall be charged and paid out of the receipts from the sale, the state and county to bear each its proportional share to be determined by the ratio the state rate bears to the city or county rate of taxation.

To Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

A. B. 419. CARLSON.

Amends Sec. 3897 of the Pol. Code. The amendment adds the following words, beginning in line 49, page 2 of the bill: "or a receipt from a publisher of a newspaper of general circulation within the county for a deposit of a sum sufficient to defray the cost of such advertising,".

To Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

A. B. 420. BADARACCO.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 2724.

Adds Sec. 8g to the State Poison Act of 1907. The new section makes it unlawful for a physician to prescribe or pharmacist to fill a prescription for any habitue, under Sec. 8 of this act, **without making a report** of such prescription to the police authorities.

To Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

A. B. 421. BADARACCO.

Appropriates \$50,000 for the construction of a building at the North Beach Training School of the State Teachers College at San Francisco.

To Committee on Normal Schools.

A. B. 422. CLARKE.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 2372a.

Amends Sec. 1 of the Municipal Improvement District Act of 1915. The amendment **adds** the following sentence, beginning in line 16 of the printed bill: "The acquisition of land to be used for or in connection with any public improvement shall be and be deemed to be within the purposes authorized by this act."

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 423. MATTHEWS.

Amends Sec. 4281 of the Pol. Code. Modoc County Government Act.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 424. ROBERTS.

Adds Sec. 1599a to the Penal Code. Said section reads as follows: "Whenever any personal property, belongings, or effects are taken from any person committed to a state or county jail the desk clerk or other proper officer of such jail shall **give a receipt** to such person for the property taken."

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 425. ROBERTS.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 2506b.

Amends Sec. 1 of the act of 1921, relating to inflammable vegetable material.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

A. B. 426. WEST.

New General Law. Provides for the retirement of state employees who have been in service for more than twenty-five years. Retirement to be for physical or mental disability, or when the employee has reached the age of seventy years. The retirement to be at a salary equal to one-half of the average annual salary received by him during the five years next preceding retirement; **provides** that such retirement salary shall not be in excess of \$900 per annum. **Provides** for the administration of the provisions of the act by a board of retirement. The act does not apply to any elected state employee.

To Committee on Civil Service.

A. B. 427. BALL.

Adds Sec. 276 to the Penal Code. This section provides for a report of each case of miscarriage or abortion by every physician or midwife procuring or assisting in the same and by any hospital wherein such act occurs and makes a violation of the section a misdemeanor.

To Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

A. B. 428. MISS BROUGHTON.

Adds Sec. 247a to the Pol. Code, which requires all employees of the Senate and Assembly to be elected by the legislature from a list recommended by the Civil Service Commission.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 429. MISS BROUGHTON.

Amends Sec. 646 of the Civil Code. The amendment gives authority to the official or officials vested by law with state supervision and license of building and loan associations to require foreign corporations to modify or change their contracts, certificates or membership shares, or stock to conform to the requirements of associations organized under the California law and to conform to Sees. 633 to 648a of the Civil Code. The change is made on page 2 beginning on line 17 to and including line 31.

To Committee on Building and Loan Associations.

A. B. 430. MISS BROUGHTON.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 74.

New General Law. Makes it unlawful for anyone to sow the seed of any noxious weed on the land of another along roads or highways or any rights of way or to allow such noxious weeds to mature on land in the possession of such person; defines noxious weeds and makes violation of the act a misdemeanor. **Repeals** the act of 1903 (Deer. Gen. L. No. 74), relating to noxious weeds.

To Committee on Agriculture.

A. B. 431. MRS. DORRIS.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 473.

Amends Sec. 30a of the Oleomargarine Act of 1911. The amendment makes it unlawful for anyone except a common carrier to deliver cream or butterfat for churning purposes in any but the original can or receptacle in which said cream or butterfat is received from the producer; lines 17 to 23, inclusive, page 2 of the printed bill. The word "thereafter" in line 9, page 2 is substituted for the word "thereto."

To Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

A. B. 432. MRS. DORRIS.

Adds Sec. 654c to the Penal Code. Said section reads as follows: "Any person who uses the word 'cooperative' in connection with the title or name of any business, except cooperative business associations organized under title XX, title XXI, title XXII, or title XXIII, as said title XXIII may be adopted at the forty-fifth session of the legislature, of the Civil Code, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 433. ROBERTS.

New General Law. Provides that the governing board of any school district may by resolution create a revolving fund not to exceed \$500 for the use of a school officer or for certain purposes. **Provides** for the management of and the procedure for drawing on the fund.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 434. ROBERTS.

Repeals Sec. 1617 $\frac{1}{2}$ of the Pol. Code, and adds section of the same number. The new section at the beginning thereof substitutes the words "powers of school trustees, high school boards, city boards of education and junior college boards" for the words "boards of education or other governing boards in cities, and having jurisdiction over both the elementary and high school districts embracing such cities and boards of trustees of any school district, and boards of trustees of union high school or joint union high school districts"; **throughout the section** the word "board" is used instead of enumerating the different bodies. Beginning on line 13, page 2, the following words are added "and shall offer to make the same proportionate deposit as a guaranty that he will enter into a contract for the sale or lease of said property if the same be awarded to him as is required of persons submitting sealed proposals"; beginning in line 20 the following clause is **added** "and **provided, further,** that no sale or lease shall be made hereunder except for a cash consideration and in case of a sale of any property hereunder no deed of conveyance shall be delivered by such board to the purchaser of such property until the full consideration to be paid therefor has been received in cash."

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 435. McPHERSON.

Appropriates \$12,839.59 to pay the claim of Joseph M. Raines against the state.

To Committee on Claims.

A. B. 436. McPHERSON.

Appropriates \$1,446.72 to pay the claim of Frank H. Buek and Leonard W. Buck against the state.

To Committee on Claims.

A. B. 437. McPHERSON.

Appropriates \$3,579.36 to pay the claim of Ruel D. Robbins, Mary Emma Robbins Sutton, John L. M. Robbins, Marie Robbins Hilbert, William C. Robbins and Irving W. Robbins, heirs of R. D. Robbins, against the state.

To Committee on Claims.

A. B. 438. MISS MILLER.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 4349.

Amends Secs. 2 and 25 of the County Water District Act of 1913. Sec. 2 as amended, **provides** that the whole or any portion of a municipality may be included within the county water district. The number of inhabitants required is **changed** from 1000 to 500. The amendment also **provides** that the land within the district need not consist of contiguous parcels.

Sec. 25 as **amended**, **changes** the procedure for adding territory to the district; provision is made for a hearing of the petition to include territory, for filing such on decision of the board, and for election to vote on annexation and gives the directors power to call an election for issuing bonds, the issuing of such bonds to be conditional upon the annexation of the proposed territory.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 439. MISS MILLER.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 4348d.

Amends Secs. 2 and 25 of the Waterworks District Act of 1913.

SKELETON BILL.

Note. The title of this bill is **defective**. The title of the act amended was changed in 1917 by the substitution of the word "waterworks" for "irrigation" in two places.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 440. MISS MILLER.

Amends Secs. 927 and 927p of the C. C. P., relating to the small claims court.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 441. BERNARD.

Appropriates \$1,165.04 to pay the claim of Mary Ella Cecil against the state.

To Committee on Claims.

A. B. 442. BROMLEY.

Adds article IIg to chapter III, title I of part III of the Pol. Code, embracing Secs. 365 to 365e, both inclusive. This article creates a state department of professional standards under the control of a director who shall be appointed by the governor at a salary of \$4,000 per annum. The director shall organize the department for the purpose of administration and shall have the power to issue licenses to practice for all professions herein mentioned and shall succeed to and be vested with all the powers, purposes, duties and jurisdiction of the following:

1. Board of Accountancy.
2. Board of Architecture.
3. Board of Dental Examiners.
4. Board of Embalmers.
5. Board of Library Examiners.
6. Board of Medical Examiners.
7. Board of Optometry.
8. Board of Pharmacy.
9. Board of Examiners in Veterinary Medicine.

All such bodies and their duties, powers, purposes and responsibilities are abolished and vested in the department of professional standards, but all laws under which they have existed and relating to them are continued in force.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 443. BROMLEY.

Repeals Sec. 366d of the Pol. Code. Said section provides that the board of directors of the several state institutions which were placed under the jurisdiction of the Department of Institutions shall be continued in force.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 444. BROMLEY.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1732m.

Repeals the California Irrigation Act of 1919. This act was held unconstitutional in the case of Mordecai vs. Board of Supervisors of Madera County, 183 Cal. 434.

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 445. BROMLEY.

1921 Stats. 1153.

Repeals the act of 1921, which appropriated \$5,000 for the purpose of erecting a monument commemorating the battle of San Pasqual. See also Deer. Gen. L. Sup. 3441.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

A. B. 446. BROMLEY.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 511.

Amends the title and Secs. 2 and 2½ and repeals Secs. 1 and 4 of the act of 1919, creating the California Redwood Park Commission.

Sec. 2 gives the State Board of Forestry management of the California Redwood Park with power to appoint a warden at a salary of \$1,500 per annum and necessary assistants. The present act **provides** for the management of the park by a board of five commissioners.

Sec. 2½ is **amended** to give the State Board of Forestry the power now possessed by the California Redwood Park Commission.

Sec. 1, **providing** for the appointment of the commission and Sec. 4, providing that the act shall take effect immediately, are **repealed**.

To Committee on State Grounds and Parks.

A. B. 447. HEISINGER.

New General Law. This bill declares petroleum producing, manufacturing or refining to be an essential industry; defines "petroleum producing, manufacturing or refining plant," **authorizes and directs** the Railroad Commission to investigate such industries and to determine what are reasonable prices for such products, especially gasoline, and to **publish reports** thereon.

To Committee on Oil Industries.

A. B. 448. HEISINGER.

Appropriates \$100,000 for the resurvey and completion of the state highway in Fresno County, extending from Hume, to a point near the Cedar Grove Hotel as provided for in Art. XVI, Sec. 2 of the constitution.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 449. GRAVES.

Adds Sec. 754a to the Pol. Code. **Provides** that the Justices of the Supreme Court shall receive \$13,500 per annum.

Sec. 736 of the code as it now stands **provides** that the salaries of the Justices of the Supreme Court and of the District Courts of Appeal are respectively \$8,000 and \$7,000 annually. This section is not repealed. See A. B. 450. See also Sec. 17, Art VI of the constitution of California.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 450. GRAVES.

Adds Sec. 757b to the Pol. Code, which provides that the salaries of the Justices of the District Courts of Appeal shall be \$12,500 per annum. See A. B. 449. See also Sec. 17, Art. VI of the constitution of California.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 451. WEST.

Appropriates \$776.04 to pay the claim of Carl G. Brown against the state.

To Committee on Claims.

A. B. 452. STEVENOT.

Amends Sec. 4287 of the Pol. Code. Alpine County Government Act.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 453. STEVENOT.

Amends Sec. 4274 of the Pol. Code. Amador County Government Act.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 454. STEVENOT.

Amends Sec. 4278 of the Pol. Code. Calaveras County Government Act.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 455. STEVENOT.

Amends Sec. 4277 of the Pol. Code. El Dorado County Government Act.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 456. BROMLEY.

Appropriates a blank sum to pay the claim of Harold E. Smith against the state.

To Committee on Claims.

A. B. 457. CRITTENDEN.

New General Law. Requires railroad companies to construct and maintain on or along the side of every railroad bridge within the state a gangway or sidewalk and imposes a fine of not more than \$1,000 for failure to comply with provisions of the act within two years after its passage.

To Committee on Public Utilities.

A. B. 458. LYMAN.

New General Law. Provides for the creation of a state board of barber examiners. This is a companion bill to S. B. 82. For digest see said Senate bill.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 459. DUVAL AND STOW.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup.

Amends Sec. 24 of the Direct Primary Act of 1913. This is a companion bill to S. B. 226. For digest see said Senate bill.

To Committee on Elections.

A. B. 460. KLINE.

Amends Sec. 626e of the Penal Code. The purpose of the act is to amend subdivision 3 of the section to read as follows: "For the purpose of this act, any male deer with an unbranched horn or antler on either side shall be considered a 'spiked buck'."

The bill is **defective** in that the entire section to be amended is not set out.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 461. STOW.

Amends Secs. 2959, 2965 and 2966 of the Civil Code. Sec. 2959 is amended by the **addition** of the following words, beginning in line 7, page 1 of the printed bill: "Save in case of live stock, vehieles and other migratory chattels." The **effect** of this amendment is to **provide** that a mortgage on such chattels need not be recorded in the county to which they are removed.

Sec. 2965 is **amended** by the addition of the same words as in the amendment to Sec. 2959. The paragraph beginning in line 23, page 1, to and inclusive of line 6, page 2 of the printed bill, is **added**, which **provides** that if a mortgage of such migratory chattels has been recorded as provided in Sec. 2959 and a certificate of such record filed with the secretary of state as required by Secs. 408 and 4130 of the Pol. Code, such chattels may be removed to any county in the state without affecting the mortgage lien.

The amendment to Sec. 2966 **exempts** the same migratory chattels as does the amendment to Sec. 2959.

See A. B. 462, 463 and 464.

To Committee on Banking.

A. B. 462. STOW.

Amends Sec. 538 of the Penal Code. The amendment inserts the following words beginning in line 7 of the printed bill: "livestock, vehicles and other migratory chattels."

The **probable effect** of this amendment is to make this section conform to the amendments to Secs. 2959, 2965 and 2966 of the Civil Code as made in A. B. 461.

See also A. B. 463 and 464.

To Committee on Banking.

A. B. 463. STOW.

Amends Secs. 408 and 409 of the Pol. Code. The amendment to Sec. 408 **adds** subdivision 15 which provides for the keeping by the Secretary of State of a record of the mortgage of migratory chattels.

The amendment to Sec. 409 **adds** subdivision 26 which **prescribes** a fee of fifty cents for filing and indexing a certificate of mortgage or assignment or discharge of mortgage of migratory property.

The **effect** of the amendments to these sections is to conform to the amendments made by A. B. 461 and 462.

See also A. B. 464.

To Committee on Banking.

A. B. 464. STOW.

Amends Secs. 4130, 4140 and 4300c of the Pol. Code. The amendment to Sec. 4130 **adds** the paragraph in lines 9 to 19, inclusive, page 1 of the printed bill. This paragraph **provides** that the recorder shall charge in addition to the regular fee for recording the mortgage of a migratory chattel, discharge, or assignment of such mortgage, seventy-five cents and shall submit a record of such to the Secretary of State upon blanks furnished him for that purpose, together with fifty cents of such additional fee.

The amendment to Sec. 4140 **adds** subdivision 5, which **provides** that if the recorder neglects to transmit the certificate of mortgage, or assignment, or discharge of mortgage provided for in Sec. 4130 he shall be liable to the party aggrieved for **three times** the amount of damage occasioned.

The amendment to Sec. 4300c **provides** for a fee of seventy-five cents for preparing and transmitting to the Secretary of State a certificate of mortgage, assignment, or discharge of migratory chattels as **provided** in Sec. 4130, fifty cents of which shall be transmitted to the Secretary of State with such certificate.

See A. B. 461, 462 and 463.

To Committee on Banking.

A. B. 465. WELLER.

New General Law. **Appropriates** the unexpended balance of the moneys appropriated under the act of 1921 which appropriated money for the erection of buildings at the Norwalk State Hospital, for the erection and the equipment of additional state buildings at the Southern California State Hospital.

The act is **declared** to be an urgency measure due to the fact that the nervous cases confined in the Norwalk State Hospital must be

removed due to the unfavorable conditions produced by oil drilling near the state hospital.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

A. B. 466. EDWIN BAKER.

New General Law. Creates a game preserve in Los Angeles County.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 467. EDWIN BAKER.

New General Law. Authorizes the supervisors of any county to provide for public parks.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 468. BURNS.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 2065.

Amends the act of 1907, relating to the recording of maps of subdivisions.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 469. BURNS.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2331b.

The bill attempts to **repeal** that part of Sec. 7 of the Motor Vehicle Act of 1915 which refers to chauffeurs' licenses. The bill is **defective** in that the entire section to be amended is not set out as required by Art. IV, Sec. 24 of the constitution. The bill is **further defective** in that it seeks to amend the amendatory act of 1919, while it should amend the act of 1915.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

A. B. 470. MORRISON.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2664.

Amends Secs. 2, 3, 4 and 15 of the Pharmacy Act of 1905. This is a companion bill to S. B. 192. For digest see said Senate bill.

To Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

A. B. 471. McDOWELL.

Amends Secs. 1585, 1586 and 1587 of the Pol. Code, relating to union school districts.

The amendment to Sec. 1585 **inserts** the words "for the current or next preceding term," in line 7, page 1 of the bill. The amendment **provides** that when a majority of the votes cast are in favor of forming a union school district the county superintendent shall appoint a

board of trustees as provided in Sec. 1588 of this code, who shall make all temporary arrangements for the district and shall notify the county assessor, county clerk and county auditor thereof. The present section provides for the calling of district meetings and the choosing of representatives from each district who shall name the school district and make temporary arrangements for the same.

The amendment to Sec. 1586 **inserts** the word "elementary" in line 3, page 3 and beginning in line 9 the words "for the current or next preceding term." The same change is made as to the appointment of a board of trustees instead of district representatives as in the amendment to Sec. 1585, with the change that the superintendent of the district having the greatest number of pupils shall appoint a majority of the board of trustees and the other superintendents shall appoint the remainder of the board as may be agreed upon.

The amendment to Sec. 1587 leaves out all mention of proceedings for admission to a union or joint union school district and provides only for the formation of such districts. The amendment provides that the school districts uniting to form such district shall remain under the control of their respective boards. The section as it now stands provides that the schools in the districts uniting to form such a district shall so remain. That part of the amendment relating to districts formed by but two school districts is **omitted** from the amendment, as is also mention of representatives selected according to the provisions of Sec. 1585. In line 16, page 4, the words "or other" are **added** and the paragraph in lines 18 to 20 inclusive which provides that any balance on hand to the credit of such elementary districts shall be transferred to the credit of the union school district.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 472. McDOWELL.

Amends Sec. 1588 of the Pol. Code. The amendment **adds** subdivision third to the section which provides that at the first election of trustees of the district one member shall be elected for one year, two members for two years, and two members for three years from the first day of May next succeeding, and their successors to be elected as hereinbefore provided.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 473. McDOWELL.

Amends Secs. 1589, 1589a, 1590, 1591 and 1591a and repeals Sec. 1589b of the Pol. Code. The amendment to Sec. 1589 **substitutes** the words "the board of trustees" in line 4, page 1, for the words "the representatives, acting as a board of trustees, or their successors." The paragraph beginning in line 15, page 1, to and including line 3, page 2, is **added**, which provides that the trustees shall have power to secure an option to purchase land for school purposes and to call a bond election with the same effect as though they were already vested with control of the property of the district.

The amendment to Sec. 1589a adds subdivision second, giving the trustees in union and joint union districts power to appoint an executive committee to attend to the routine business of the board.

The amendment to Sec. 1590 omits mention of the admission of a school district to a union or joint union school district and refers only to districts forming a union or joint union school district.

The amendment to Sec. 1591 adds the words "at any time" in line 5, page 3, and the words "union or joint union" in line 7. In line 13 the word "register" is substituted for the words "report on file in office of the superintendent of schools". In line 15 the word "agreement" is substituted for the word "petition." The amendment omits the requirement that the county superintendent of schools must classify the newly admitted school districts, and also the requirement that in case of the annexation of a school district not wholly within the same county, the classification shall be made by concurrent action of the county superintendent of each county. The amendment provides for a hearing on annexation and publication of a notice of such hearing. Provision for admission of a portion of a school district is made under subdivision second of Sec. 1577 of the Pol. Code instead of as provided in the section as it now stands.

The amendment to Sec. 1591a provides that withdrawal from a union or joint union school district shall be in accordance with the provisions of Sec. 1599 of this code. The present section provides withdrawal shall be "in like manner". The amendment omits mention that withdrawal shall be upon such terms as agreed upon between the trustees of the withdrawing district and the trustees of the union or joint union district and provides that there shall be set forth in the petition the terms agreed upon by a majority of the electors of the district wishing to withdraw and the trustees of the union or joint union school district.

Sec. 1589b, which is repealed, provides for the holding of special meetings.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 474. MRS. WOODBRIDGE AND MRS. DORRIS.

The title states that a new section with subdivisions are added to the Civil Code, while what is evidently intended is to add Sees. 3066 to 3066m. The bill is also defective in that there are no sections to the bill stating that the sections as set out are added to any code.

The sections provide for a lien by farm laborers on crops which they have assisted in planting or working on. Such liens to be preferred liens if a claim verified by oath specifying the work done and on what crops, together with the name of the person for whom the work was performed and a sufficient description for identification of the land upon which said crops were grown, is filed within thirty days after the close of said work. Such lien to continue for ninety days. The liens not to impair a personal action on the debt. Persons claiming liens may join the causes of action or the court may consolidate them after commencement. No contract of labor may waive such liens except by the written consent of the laborer.

To Committee on Agriculture.

A. B. 475. MRS. WOODBRIDGE AND MRS. DORRIS.

The title states that a new sub-section is **added** to Sec. 1191 of the C. C. P.; what is evidently intended to be added is a new section, 1191b. The bill contains no section stating to what code the section is added.

The section **provides** that any person who has cleared land shall have a lien upon such land for the value of such work, materials furnished, and value of the teams and implements used.

To Committee on Agriculture.

A. B. 476. EDWIN BAKER.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 390.

Amends Sec. 7 of the Improvement Bond Act of 1911. The amendment **adds** the provision, beginning in line 16 of the bill, that if the city have no general fund the amount in excess of par shall be paid into the reserve fund of such city and that bonds unsold after advertising for bids may be sold at any time thereafter for not less than par.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 477. KLINE.

Amends Secs. 1, 2, 3, 5, 7 and 27 of the Fish and Game District Act, which presumably is Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1295b. The dates of approval in the title are evidently wrong.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 478. HORNBLOWER.

New General Law. Defines radiography and **provides** that no one shall practice the same except a doctor unless in possession of a certificate issued as provided herein; **provides** for the maintenance by the Board of Health of a department of examination and certification of registered radiographers. Such applicants must pay a fee of fifty dollars, be over twenty-one years of age, have completed a high school course and a 1500 hour course in radiography and kindred subjects.

Any one practicing radiography at the time of the passage of the act shall be granted a certificate without examination upon certain conditions. Each certificate must be renewed annually at a fee of ten dollars.

Violation of this section is made a misdemeanor punishable by a fine of not less than twenty-five dollars or more than two hundred dollars for the first offense and punishable under the provisions of Sec. 19 of the Penal Code for each subsequent offense.

To Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

A. B. 479. LYONS.

New General Law. Purports to legalize all municipal bonds heretofore issued and sold or to be issued and sold where authority for issuance has been given by not less than a two-thirds vote of the electors of such municipality.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 480. LYONS.

New General Law. Purports to validate all municipal bonds heretofore issued and sold or to be issued and sold by municipal improvement districts under the act of 1915, providing for the formation of municipal improvement and public utility districts when such bonds have been authorized by a vote of not less than two-thirds of the electors at such election.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 481. EMME.

Amends Sec. 1609 of the Pol. Code. The amendment adds subdivision seventh to the section giving a school district governed by a city board of education power to employ an auditor and fix and order the payment of his compensation and prescribing the duties of such auditor.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 482. FOSTER. (By request.) Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 2331b.

Adds Sec. 37a to the Motor Vehicle Act of 1915. Said section provides for the appointment of a chief traffic officer in each county and the necessary number of traffic officers, the compensation of whom shall be paid by the county.

The sheriff may be appointed ex officio chief traffic officer with no additional compensation. Such chief traffic officer is vested with enforcement of the vehicle act with all of the powers now and hereafter vested by law in peace officers solely for the purpose of enforcement of this act; **provides** that it shall be the express duty of every sheriff, constable, marshal or policeman to enforce the provisions of this act. This bill is **defective** and should be amended.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

A. B. 483. SNYDER.

Amends Sec. 1734b of the Pol. Code, relating to certain powers of boards of supervisors. The amendment omits at the very beginning of the section the following words: "Not later than August 31st, 1921."

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 484. CLEARY.

New General Law. Provides that the Industrial Accident Commission shall enter into agreements with mine operators for the establishment of at least two mine rescue stations to be centrally located in the several mining districts; such establishment to be at the joint expense of the state and of such mine operators; all expense of upkeep to be borne by the mine operators.

To Committee on Mines and Mining.

A. B. 485. CLEARY. Deer. Gen. L. No. 2222 and Civil Code, page 967. (Appendix to the C. C., page 967.)

Amends the act of 1872 providing for the protection of miners.

To Committee on Mines and Mining.

A. B. 486. CLEARY.

New General Law. Provides for the safety of miners by requiring inter-communication of adjacent mines.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Mines and Mining.

A. B. 487. MRS. DORRIS.

New General Law. Declares the county road between Bakersfield and Mojave in Kern County via Tehachapi, except that portion now existing between Edison and the western line of the Rancho El Tejon, to be a state highway and appropriates \$20,000 for improvement of same.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 488. MRS. DORRIS.

Deer. Gen. L. 1770a.

Amends Secs. 1 and 2 of the Juvenile Court Law of 1915. The amendment to Sec. 1 adds subdivision 15, which reads as follows: "A minor whose parents or legal guardian thereof have requested to be declared a ward of the Juvenile Court by writing filed with the probation officer of the county." Some words have evidently been omitted from this subdivision as it now stands in the bill. The section is **defective** in that the first paragraph of the section has been omitted.

The amendment to Sec. 2 substitutes the word "fifteen" in line 23, page 3, of the bill for the word "thirteen."

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 489. J. W. JOHNSTON.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 2887.

Amends Sec. 5 of the Public Utility District Act of 1921, providing for public utility districts in unincorporated territory.

The amendment **provides** that a copy of the petition for formation shall be published ten days after its presentation to the board of supervisors. The amendment further provides that the board shall publish at the same time a notice that a hearing will be held, at which hearing the board shall determine whether the petition complies with all requirements and hear all evidence in support of or in opposition to the petition; the date of such hearing shall be fixed by resolution within ten days after final publication of the notice; at such hearing the board shall make such changes in the boundaries as may be advisable and may in their discretion on the petition of any person owning lands adjoining the lands described in the petition include such land within the district. After the hearing the board shall call the election. The above changes occur in lines 14 to 17, inclusive, page 2, of the printed bill.

To Committee on Public Utilities.

A. B. 490. NOYES.

Amends Sec. 4270 of the Pol. Code. Sutter County Government Act.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 491. NOYES.

Amends Sec. 4041 of the Pol. Code. Adds subdivision 44 to the section which gives the supervisors power to enter into contracts for the construction and maintenance of bridges across streams which do not constitute legal boundaries of the county, when in their opinion, such construction and maintenance shall be for the benefit of the inhabitants of the county.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 492. DOUGLAS.

Amends Sec. 634 of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 493. DOUGLAS.

New General Law. Authorizes the boards of supervisors to employ experts to furnish maps and plats and to gather all data necessary for the use of said board while sitting as a board of equalization or in advance of the time they are required to sit as such when necessary.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 494. DOUGLAS.

New General Law. Provides that no person under twenty-one years of age shall operate a moving picture machine by motor in any place of public assembly and that no person shall employ such person. Subjects violators of the provisions of the act to a fine of not less than \$5 or more than \$100 or by imprisonment for not more than six months or by both.

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

A. B. 495. ROSENSHINE.

Amends Sec. 927c of the C. C. P., relating to small claims courts. The amendment substitutes the word "seven" in line 4 of the printed bill for the word "six". The amendment adds the words "or justice" in line 5; the words "or the justices' clerk or deputy clerk of said justices' court" in lines 5 and 6; the word "said" in line 7; the words "justices' clerk or deputy clerk of said justice court" in lines 8 and 9, and the same words in lines 10 and 11, in lines 13 and 14, in lines 18 and 19, in lines 21 and 22, and the words "of said affidavit and order" at the end of the section.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 496. ROSENSHINE.

Amends Sec. 927a of the C. C. P., relating to small claims courts. The amendment inserts the words "or justices' clerk, or deputy clerk of said justice court" in lines 5 and 6 of the bill.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 497. CARLSON.

Amends Sec. 4242 of the Pol. Code. Contra Costa County Government Act.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 498. CLARKE.

Adds Sec. 738e to the Pol. Code. Increases the salary of the judge of the superior court of Tuolumne County from \$4,000 to \$5,000 per annum.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 499. CLARKE.

Amends Sec. 4275 of the Pol. Code. Tuolumne County Government Act.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 500. CLARKE.

Makes a continuous appropriation of \$250,000 per annum or a total of \$1,500,000 for the construction and improvement of the state highway extending from Mojave in Kern County, to Independence in Inyo County.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 501. DEAN.

New General Law. Provides that the legislative bodies of unincorporated towns and incorporated cities may erect and maintain comfort stations.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 502. DEAN.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 2143c.

Amends Sec. 24 of Workmen's Compensation Act of 1917. Provides for the allowance of attorney's fees for appearance before the commission and the different courts.

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 503. REINDOLLAR.

Amends Sec. 685 of C. C. P., relating to judgments. Provides for enforcement of judgment after expiration of five years upon certain conditions.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 504. REINDOLLAR.

New General Law. Grants certain salt marsh, tide and submerged lands owned by the State of California to the city of San Rafael. Makes certain reservations to the state, including rights of fishing and navigation.

To Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

A. B. 505. MORRISON.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 473.

Adds Sec. 9a to Oleomargarine Act of 1911. Provides that it shall be unlawful to use in the manufacture of oleomargarine, any oils which have come in contact with nickel or nickel oxide or oils which have a greater heat than the human body.

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

A. B. 506. WILLIAMS.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 724.

Amends Sec. 7, 8a and 8c of the Poison Act of 1907. Makes specified offenses under this act punishable as a felony.

To Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

A. B. 507. POMEROY.

New General Law. Empowers State Highway Commission to acquire rights of way along state highways for maintenance and preservation of scenic beauty.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 508. A. G. MITCHELL.

Amends Secs. 2653 and 2656 of the Pol. Code, relating to highway taxes. The amendments are in skeleton form. Also repeals Secs. 2652 and 2671 of the Pol. Code.

Sec. 2652 reads as follows: "The board of supervisors must, each year, at the meeting at which they are required to levy the property tax for county purposes, estimate the probable amount of property tax for highway purposes which may be necessary for the ensuing year, over and above the road tax, and must regulate and fix the amount of property highway tax, and levy the same thereby; provided, that said property tax for highway purposes shall not exceed the sum of forty cents upon each one hundred dollars of assessable property in any one year."

Sec. 2671 reads as follows: "Corporations, or other employers of persons in any road district subject to road tax, are chargeable for the road poll tax assessed against their employees to the extent of any credit in their hands not exceeding such tax; provided, the road overseer shall first give notice to such employer, or the managing agent of such corporation, and from the time of such notice, the amount of any credit in his hands, or that shall thereafter accrue sufficient to satisfy said tax, shall be paid to the road tax collector, whose receipt shall be evidence in bar of the prosecution of any action by the employee against the principal for the recovery of the same."

To Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

A. B. 509. A. G. MITCHELL.

Amends Sec. 4307 of the Pol. Code, relating to county charges. Adds two new subdivisions, 13 and 14, making the traveling expenses of the sheriff in criminal matters, and meals supplied jurors in civil cases, proper charges against the county.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 510. A. G. MITCHELL.

Amends Sec. 2656 of the Pol. Code, relating to district road funds. Provides that where any territory in a road district shall hereafter be included in any city, or incorporated town, or city and county, either at the original incorporation of such city, incorporated town, or city and county, or by annexation thereto subsequent, it shall be the duty of the county surveyor to indicate on the map books of the assessor the property annexed. **Makes** it the duty of the assessor

to ascertain the assessed value of such property and to certify the value so ascertained to the county auditor. The auditor shall calculate the proportion that the value of the property annexed bears to the total value of all the property in the district from which the annexation was made. The auditor shall prepare a claim in favor of the annexing city for such portion of road funds to be allowed by the supervisors and paid by warrant on the treasurer to the said city. The city shall be liable and **repay** to the county its proportion of all the road taxes from the annexed city subsequently cancelled.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 511. A. G. MITCHELL.

Appropriates \$5,000 for prevention of forest fires in San Gabriel Mountains, conditioned upon the appropriation of a like amount by the San Antonio Fruit Exchange, the San Antonio Water Company, the county of Los Angeles, and the county of San Bernardino.

To Committee on Conservation.

A. B. 512. A. G. MITCHELL.

Appropriates \$3,000 for prevention of forest fires in San Gabriel Mountains, conditioned upon the appropriation of a like amount by the Glendora Fruit Exchange, the county of Los Angeles or any individual or corporation.

To Committee on Conservation.

A. B. 513. DAVIS.

Appropriates \$4,000 for additional land and equipment for the University of California experimental station in Imperial County.

To Committee on Universities.

A. B. 514. DAVIS.

Purports to **validate** the bonds of Brawley Union High School District in Imperial County.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 515. DAVIS.

Amends Sec. 4246 of Pol. Code. Imperial County Government Act.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 516. BALL.

Adds Sec. 4041g to the Pol. Code. Authorizes boards of supervisors to maintain abandoned cemeteries.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 517. ROBERTS.

Adds Sec. 1616a to the Pol. Code. Authorizes school trustees and city board of education to establish and maintain day nurseries in connection with kindergartens. Provides for levying a special tax under the provisions of Sec. 1616 of the Pol. Code.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 518. MORRIS.

Adds Sec. 629a to the Pol. Code, relating to group insurance and valuation of group insurance policies. This section permits the issuance of life or endowment insurance policies on certain terms and at special rates less than the usual rates of premiums upon the **group plan**. It provides that the table of mortality and interest assumption to be adopted by the company for that purpose may be a different standard than the American Experiment Table of Mortality. **Provides** that this class of insurance and all data in connection therewith shall be reported separately in the company's annual financial statement.

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 519. MORRIS.

Amends Sec. 629 of the Pol. Code, relating to valuation of policies in insurance companies. This amendment permits the insurance commissioner to vary the standard of mortality in the case of contracts issued by corporations organized in this state, but doing business in a foreign country and permits the insurance commissioner to establish a standard of mortality applicable to such foreign country.

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 520. MORRIS.

Amends Sec. 602 of the Pol. Code, relating to insolvency of insurance companies. This amendment excepts from the basis of figuring the question of solvency or insolvency, contracts of insurance issued by companies organized in this state, but transacting business in foreign countries and insurance policies issued on the group plan.

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 521. EDWIN BAKER.

Amends Secs. 548 and 549 of the Penal Code, relating to crimes against insured property.

Sec. 548 is not changed in any particular from the present section.

Sec. 549 is amended by the addition of the words in lines 16 and 17 "or policy of insurance or indemnity whatsoever," and the words "such fine and imprisonment" in lines 23 and 24.

The bill should be amended as to the title and the matter before line 5.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 522. EDWIN BAKER.

Amends Sec. 626 of the Penal Code and purports to repeal Sec. 626i. These sections relate to the protection of game.

The amendment of Sec. 626 would close the season on male deer until **September 1, 1928**, and provides that it shall be unlawful to have in possession any male deer whether killed in this state or shipped into the state.

Sec. 2 of the bill is defective in as much as it refers to the **Political Code** instead of the **Penal Code**.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 523. CLEVELAND.

New General Law. Prohibits the overcharge on prescriptions for liquor.

To Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

A. B. 524. CLEVELAND.

Adds Sec. 637 $\frac{1}{2}$ a to the Penal Code. Provides for a gun license and makes violation a misdemeanor.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 525. DAWSON.

Adds Secs. 384b and 384c to the Penal Code. Sec. 384b provides that certain food shall not be kept in cold storage longer than 90 days. Sec. 384c provides for marking or stamping the date articles are placed in cold storage. Violation of either section is a misdemeanor.

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

A. B. 526. LYMAN.

Deer Gen. L. No. 2331b.

Repeals Sec. 35 of the Motor Vehicle Act of 1915. Section 35 relates to the disposition of fines.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

A. B. 527. LYMAN.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2331b.

Amends Sec. 22 of the Motor Vehicle Act of 1915. Grants to local authorities of any town, city, or city and county, the additional right to prescribe certain restrictions upon the operation of motor vehicles on public streets. **Provides** that the local authorities can provide the maximum weight and width of any motor vehicle to be allowed on any street and may further provide the particular route to be followed by any auto bus or stage line.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

A. B. 528. LYMAN.

New General Law. **Provides** that all household furniture manufactured at a state prison, reform school or other institutions supported by public moneys, must show that is so manufactured and have the name of the place stamped or imprinted on the article. Also **provides** that such fact must be advertised by the dealer selling the article. Makes a violation thereof punishable by fine of not less than \$20 on first conviction or more than \$100 or imprisonment of not exceeding 30 days. Each subsequent offense is punishable by not less than \$50 fine or more than \$200, or by imprisonment not less than 20 days nor more than 100 days, or both in the discretion of the court.

To Committee on Manufactures.

A. B. 529. LYMAN.

New General Law. **Prohibits** incorporated cities or towns or chartered cities from enacting any law or ordinance fixing a **tax or license of more than \$5** upon persons, firms, or corporations selling or offering for sale articles manufactured in this state, where such person, firm, or corporation maintains a place of business in this state. **Repeals** all acts in conflict.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 530. LYMAN.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2331b.

Amends Sec. 34 of the Motor Vehicle Act of 1915. **Provides** that one-half of the net receipts from the motor vehicle fund shall be paid to the counties from which the money was received as determined by the places of residence of persons outside of the limits of any incorporated city within said county as shall appear from the registration certificates. The **other one-half** of the net receipts to be paid to the cities from which the moneys were received respectively, "provided the places of residence of the persons to whom the registration certificates are issued appear to be within the limits of such municipality." The **probable effect** of this bill would be to appropriate all the money collected under the motor vehicle act, except for transfers and for operators and chauffeurs' licenses to the counties and cities and leave nothing in the motor vehicle fund for the

state. The amendment does not contemplate taking into account any proportion of the amount of highways in the cities and counties.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

A. B. 531. BADHAM.

Amends Sec. 1576 of the Pol. Code, relating to separate school districts. The amendment as drawn is ambiguous and should be rephrased.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 532. BADHAM.

New General Law. Authorizes the regents of the University of California to accept donations and establish special courses in agriculture and horticulture, in accordance with the terms and conditions of private endowment, donations, bequests or devises therefor.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 533. BADHAM.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 297

Amends Secs. 9, 28, 31, 31a, 31b, 120 and 132 of the Bank Act. Provides no branch office shall be established outside of the city where the principal place of business is located, except by the purchase or merger of an existing bank. Provides not more than one branch may be opened or maintained outside of such place of business. Provides branch banks must advertise the total assets of such branch office in the same manner as it advertises the main bank assets. Provides that no bank shall purchase or sell to another unless both have been in business for at least 2 years. Same provisions regarding consolidation. Same provisions regarding merging or consolidation of commercial or savings bank or trust company, with any other kind or kinds of banks. Provides that superintendent of banks shall not become connected with any bank within 2 years after leaving office. Provides for reports to superintendent of banks by branch bank.

To Committee on Banking.

A. B. 534. DOZIER.

Amends Sec. 1609 of the Pol. Code, relating to duties of school trustees and city boards of education. This act is a re-enactment of the section as it stood in 1917. Eliminates from the present section all powers to employ probationary permanent teachers. Eliminates entire provisions of subdivisions (e) and (j) as they stand in the present section.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 535. DOZIER.

New General Law. Seeks to prevent the pollution of rights of way by common carriers.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

A. B. 536. DOZIER.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1726.

Adds Secs. 47a and 47b to the California Irrigation District Act of 1897. Sec. 47a provides for the redemption of any parcel of land contained in any assessment which may hereafter be sold for delinquent assessment to an irrigation district. This redemption must be made when the district has not disposed of the lot and provides for a partial redemption of the same and the method of computing the amount, together with penalties and costs and provides that the recorder must enter on the margin of the book when the entry of the certificate is made, the date and by whom redeemed with a particular description of the parcel of land thus redeemed. If the property does not have a separate valuation on the assessment roll the owner may apply to the board of directors of the district for an estimate of the proportionate value which the said property bears to the whole tract assessed. **Provides** the method of estimating the amount of assessment due together with penalties and for a recording of the certificate of partial redemption. Sec. 47b **provides** that the money received from redemption shall be apportioned to the several funds of the district according to ratio.

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 537. FULWIDER.

Appropriates \$5,000 for additional sewer system at Sonoma State Home.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

A. B. 538. FULWIDER.

Appropriates \$5,000 for equipment of new cottages for employees at Sonoma State Home.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

A. B. 539. FULWIDER.

Appropriates \$35,000 for erection of cottages for employees at Sonoma State Home.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

A. B. 540. FULWIDER.

Appropriates \$25,000 for improvements to electric system at Sonoma State Home.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

A. B. 541. FOX.

Amends Sec. 1184a of the C. C. P., relating to mechanics' liens. The amendment to this section consists in the addition of the following, beginning on page 1, line 13 of the printed bill and continuing through to line 7, page 2: "No money or bonds shall be withheld by reason of any such notice longer than said ninety days following the expiration of such period unless proceedings be commenced in a proper court within that time by the claimant to enforce his claim; and in case such proceedings be so commenced but be not prosecuted to trial within two years after the commencement thereof, the court may in its discretion dismiss the same for want of prosecution; and in all cases upon the dismissal of such proceedings, unless it be expressly stated that the same is without prejudice, or upon a judgment rendered therein against the claimant, or upon the termination of said ninety days above provided, if such proceedings have not been commenced, such notice shall cease to be effective and the moneys or bonds withheld shall be paid or delivered to the contractor or other person to whom they are due. Notice of such proceedings shall be given or filed within five days after the commencement thereof to the same persons and in the same manner as provided in section one thousand one hundred eighty-four of this code with respect to notice of claim."

In addition to the foregoing the section is reworded.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 542. MATHEWS.

New General Law. This bill provides that whenever a private easement to pass over real property or to build and use roadways for vehicular or foot passage, is not definitely located and no time is specified in said grant, within such right shall be commenced, the fee simple owner may at any time after the passage of this act or from time to time place substantial improvements upon the property and thereupon the right to exercise such easement upon the improved portions shall be lost or deemed abandoned unless the owner of the easement shall file in the office of the county recorder a written notice designating the definite location of such easement prior to the commencement of such improvement. This is a companion bill to S. B. 80.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 543. MATHEWS.

Purports to **validate** the proceedings in the organization of Red Rock Creek Irrigation District. The bill does not state where said district is located.

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 544. MATHEWS.

New General Law. Declares the highway between Susanville and Bieber, via Willow Creek Valley, to be a state highway and **appropriates** the sum of \$100,000 for the survey and construction of said highway.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 545. HORNBLOWER.

Adds Sec. 1112 to the Penal Code, relating to evidence. Prohibits the introduction of evidence obtained either by illegal or defective process or procedure.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 546. HORNBLOWER.

Amends Sec. 607e of the Civil Code, relating to societies for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. **The amendment** to this section **provides** that all fines, penalties and forfeitures imposed and collected under the provisions of any law of this state relating to or affecting children or animals shall be deposited in the general fund of the county where such fines, penalties or forfeitures are imposed or collected. **Provides** that societies organized for the purpose of prevention of cruelty to children or animals while actively engaged in the enforcement of the law shall be paid from the general fund of the county or city and county a sum of not less than \$50 per month nor exceeding \$500 per month. **Provides** that such societies shall not receive compensation in any city or county or city and county other than where its principal place of business is located.

To Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

A. B. 547. MRS. WOODBRIDGE.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1770a.

Amends Sec. 19x32 of the Juvenile Court Law of 1913. **Salary and duties of probation officer of Placer County.**

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 548. MRS. WOODBRIDGE.

Amends Sec. 4261 of the Pol. Code. **Placer County Government Act.**

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 549. McDOWELL.

Amends Sec. 857a of the C. C. P., relating to judgments in justices' courts. This bill strikes out the words "cross complaint" from the present section and substitutes the words "counter complaint."

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 550. McDOWELL.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 4385.

Amends Sec. 17 of the Weights and Measures Act of 1913.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 551. McDOWELL.

Amends Sec. 4233 of the Pol. Code. **Fresno County Government Act.**

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 552. BROMLEY.

New General Law. Relates to aircraft and **repeals** the Aircraft Registration Act of 1921 (Deer. Gen. L. No. 78j). This act defines certain words and phrases relating to the regulation and use of aircraft. **Provides** for the licensing of an operator of such aircraft. **Provides** for the examination of such applicant for such license by physician and also by the aircraft department. Specifies the test which such applicant must undergo to obtain the license for the operation thereof. **Provides** for the registration of all aircraft provided the same shall be found safe and air worthy. **Provides** for the procedure for transfer of ownership of aircraft. Specifies the fees which shall be charged for the different licenses and certificates of registration and inspection fees. **Prohibits** the driving of any aircraft at a distance of less than 1000 feet over any populated district or gathering of people **except** when leaving or alighting upon the ground. **Prohibits** the flying of captive balloons with a metallic cable within 1000 feet of any high tension or high voltage electric wire. **Defines** a high voltage electric wire. **Provides** for the temporary license of nonresident operators or for the revocation of licenses and temporary licenses and certificates. **Prescribes** rules of traffic in the air. Punishes any violation of the act as a misdemeanor. Upon conviction prescribes the penalty for the first offense by imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding 30 days or a fine not exceeding \$100 or both. For a second offense imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding 90 days or a fine not exceeding \$200 or both, and for a third or subsequent offense imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding 6 months or a fine not exceeding \$500 or both. **Creates** the department of aircraft of the State of California and creates the office of **director of civil aeronautics**, to be appointed by the Governor. **Provides** for the appointment of assistants to serve without compensation. Provides for the allowance of the necessary expenses of assistants incurred by them while acting under the provisions of the act. Makes it the duty of the motor vehicle department to cooperate with the director of civil aeronautics and to provide desk space, stenographic work and clerical and ministerial aid to the director of civil aeronautics. **Provides** for the deposit of all fines in the general fund

and provides that the money so deposited shall be used exclusively for the payment of expenditures necessitated by this act. **Exempts** from the provisions of this act all aircraft and pilots operating under authority of the United States Government.

To Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

A. B. 553. BROMLEY.

Adds Sec. 1274b to the C. C. P., relating to escheats. Provides that where money has been deposited in court or paid into the county treasury and remains there unclaimed for **three** years the same may be deposited in the state treasury for the benefit of the owner thereof and if unclaimed for the period of five years thereafter the money escheats to the State of California and is placed in the **school fund**.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 554. BROMLEY.

Adds Sec. 1714a to the Civil Code, relating to vehicles and persons being carried therein. This section provides that any person riding in any vehicle not for hire, but as a guest shall have imputed to him the negligence of the driver of the car. The **probable effect** of this section would be to change the law and decisions of the courts of this state upon the question of the so-called "guest rule" and prevent a recovery of damages by one who has no control over the operation of the car.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

A. B. 555. CLEVELAND.

Appropriates \$125,000 and the property of the Sonoma State Home, for the benefit of shell shocked veterans of the world war. This act can only become effective if the Sonoma State Home is abolished by the legislature at the 45th session.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

A. B. 556. SCHMIDT.

Amends Sec. 3469 of the Pol. Code, relating to the assessment of property. **Provides** that any property discovered by the assessor or called to his attention as having escaped assessment within **five** years prior thereto may be assessed at a valuation equal to the then value of such property on the first Monday in March of each of the years for which such property has escaped assessment. It requires the purchaser to inform himself that the property is not subject to escaped taxes.

To Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

A. B. 557. WELLER.

Adds Sec. 359a to the C. C. P., relating to time within which actions must be commenced against directors and stockholders of corporations. **Provides** that any action against a director of a corporation based upon a **statute** must be commenced within **three** years after the cause of action shall have accrued and also provides that an action must be commenced against the stockholders for the recovery of any unpaid liability within **three** years after the date the obligation or cause of action was **originally incurred** by the corporation. Declares that the provisions of the section shall not go into effect until January 1, 1924. **Defect.** This section number appearing in the bill should be **359a**, not 395a.

To Committee on Corporations.

A. B. 558. MORRIS.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 3568n.

Amends Secs. 1, 3 and 7 of the Part Time School Act of 1919. Amendment to Sec. 1 **provides** that special part time classes shall be maintained for those who are not in regular attendance upon a full time public or private school, or who are not in regular attendance upon a full time evening school.

Sec. 3 **provides** that those who are not in a full time public evening school must attend a special part time class maintained by the high school district.

Sec. 7 **provides** that attendance upon the full time public evening school shall be credited with the equivalent of eight hours work in each week where such person is employed outside of school hours.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 559. MRS. SAYLOR.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1537.

Amends Sec. 1 of the Women's Eight Hour Law. Adds women licentiate pharmacists to the exempted class.

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

A. B. 560. MRS. SAYLOR.

Amends Sec. 1687 of the Pol. Code, relating to public school teachers' salaries. **Provides** that all teachers in elementary schools shall receive equal salaries except that a uniform allowance may be made for experience and years of service. **Defect.** The section number (1687) of the code should be set forth in the body of this bill.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 561. MRS. SAYLOR.

Amends Sec. 1662 of the Pol. Code, relating to elementary schools. The effect of this amendment is to provide a standard for mental tests in classes which are established outside of the regular courses of study. **Provides** that any pupil having a mental development of less

than 50 per cent of a normal child of the corresponding age shall be excluded from such training and as far as possible shall be sent to state institutions for the care of feeble-minded children. The bill should be amended by striking out the words "approved June 3, 1921," following the title.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 562. MRS. SAYLOR.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2664.

Amends Secs. 2, 3, 4 and 15 of the Pharmacy Act of 1905. Provides that registered pharmacist must be at least 21 years of age and a citizen of the United States or if not such a citizen he must have filed and proved his intention of becoming such. **Defines** licentiate pharmacists and practicing pharmacists. **Provides** for their registration and experience necessary for obtaining such registration. **Defines** registered assistant pharmacists and prohibits the filling of prescriptions by persons of certain ages. This is a companion bill to S. B. 192.

To Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

A. B. 563. WILLIAMS.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1726.

Amends Sec. 31 of the California Irrigation District Act of 1897. This act permits the bonds of an irrigation district to be payable at the end of other periods than the first of January or July provided the same is set forth in the notice of election to provide for the issuance of such bonds. **Eliminates** from the section the provision relating to the approval of such different dates of payment by the California Irrigation District Bond Commission.

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 564. WILLIAMS.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1726.

Amends Sec. 39 of the California Irrigation District Act of 1897. Authorizes the board of directors to raise an amount in addition to that provided for in the section not exceeding 3 per cent of the aggregate value for any purposes. **Provides** that the board of directors may also include in any annual assessment such amount as it may deem proper not exceeding 1 per cent of the total assessed value of the lands in the district for the redemption of immaturred bonds of the district or for the creation of a sinking fund to pay any of such bonds as they become due.

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 565. WILLIAMS.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1726.

Amends Sec. 59 of the California Irrigation District Act of 1897. Permits the board of directors in case of emergency by which the flow of water is interrupted or lands within or adjoining the district are threatened with injury by reason of lack of drainage or drainage

works to incur an additional indebtedness not to exceed \$40,000 in any year in the construction, installation or repairs of the drainage system upon resolution of the board of directors without submitting the action to the voters of the district.

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 566. WILLIAMS.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1726.

Adds Sec. 38a to the California Irrigation District Act of 1897, relating to assessment of land irrigated by means of water pumped from underground sources. Permits separate assessments in separate books upon land supplied by own water system and not by district. **Permits** the board of directors as a board of equalization to decrease area after prescribed notice. **Provides** that the board in levying assessment must make two rates. One to apply to all lands in the district and be computed on the total assessed valuation and the amount to be raised to pay interest and principal, and the other rate to apply to all lands in the district **except** that separately assessed, the same to be computed on the total assessed valuation less the separately assessed property.

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 567. WILLIAMS.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1726.

Amends Sec. 36 of the California Irrigation District Act of 1897. Eliminates from this section the fixed per diem for deputy assessors.

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 568. WILLIAMS.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1726.

Adds Sec. 32a to the California Irrigation District Act of 1897. Provides for the issuance of refunding bonds. **Prescribes** their form. **Provides** for the sale and maturity of the bonds. **Provides** for the sale or refunding or exchanging of such bonds for any outstanding bonds and for the cancellation of bonds so refunded or exchanged.

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 569. WILLIAMS.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1732n.

Amends Sec. 1 of the Act of 1919, providing for electrical development by irrigation districts. Provides that the district may sell power for use beyond its own boundaries. Does not require the distribution of such power in accordance with any assessment levied by such district.

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 570. WILLIAMS.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1726.

Amends Sec. 39 of the California Irrigation District Act of 1897, relating to payment of tolls. Provides that charges for tolls for water and other public uses upon lands may become a lien. **Prescribes** the method of giving notice of the time and place of hearing objections to the amount of tolls fixed by the board of directors. **Provides** that the board of directors may determine to **add** the amount of the lien to the annual assessment and the same shall become a part of the first installment of said assessment.

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 571. WILLIAMS.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1726.

Amends Sec. 44 of the California Irrigation District Act of 1897. The amendment **provides** that where the district is the purchaser at a delinquent assessment sale the board of directors may sell the certificates of sale prior to the redemption of the property, upon payment by any person or corporation of the delinquent assessment, interest penalties and costs.

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 572. WILLIAMS.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1726.

Adds Sec. 27a to the California Irrigation District Act of 1897. Provides that the treasurer and collector of any irrigation district may appoint deputies to hold office at the pleasure of the appointing power. **Provides** that compensation is to be fixed by the board of directors. Deputies must take oath of office and give a bond.

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 573. WILLIAMS.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1726.

Adds Sec. 40a to the California Irrigation District Act of 1897. Provides for the cancellation or modification of assessments by the board of directors where the lands were either assessed more than once or on excessive acreage. **Provides** for refund of assessment, penalties or costs erroneously or illegally imposed. **Provides** that refund must be made only upon verified claim.

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 574. WILLIAMS.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1726.

Amends Sec. 15 of the California Irrigation District Act of 1897. Authorizes the board of directors to create and replenish a revolving fund for any district.

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 575. WILLIAMS.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 4349a.

Amends Secs. 1, 2, 7, 8 and 13 of the Water District Bond Act of 1913.

Sec. 1 as amended provides that written petition by the holders of title or evidence of title to a majority (in area) of the lands within the proposed district may be presented to the board of supervisors of the county in which the lands within which such proposed district or the greater portion thereof are situated. The petition shall describe the boundaries of the proposed district and the lands which are included within such boundaries, but which the petitioner does not desire to have included within the proposed district. The petition may consist of any number of separate instruments. The county assessment roll of the county in which any lands included within such proposed district are situated which assessment roll has been last equalized at the time of the presentation of such petition to the board of supervisors shall be sufficient evidence as to the area of the lands described on said assessment roll and as to the holders of title or evidence of title to said lands. **Eliminates** from the present law the records in the office of the county recorder as evidence as to the area of and as to the holders of title or evidence of title to any lands within such proposed district. **Eliminates** the provision as to unknown owners. The amendment to **Sec. 2 provides** for an undertaking to pay the cost in connection with the proposed organization in case said district shall not be organized. The amendment to **Sec. 7 provides** for fixing the time of hearing of petition and directing publication of notice and proceeding upon fixing the boundaries of said district. **Permits** the board of directors to provide for any drainage made necessary or which in the judgment of the board will be made necessary for the operation of such irrigation works or by the irrigation of such lands or any of them in said district. **Eliminates** the provision that no contract shall be entered into for the construction of irrigation works nor shall the directors construct the same by employees of the district until an election has been called or held to determine whether or not bonds of the district shall be issued nor in case bonds are voted until 85 per cent of the total amount of said bond issue has been sold and the money received thereon. The amendment to **Sec. 13 provides** that the board of directors shall prepare plans for the construction and acquisition of works for the irrigation of lands within the district and for such drainage as in its judgment may be required as incidental thereto. Provides that the board of directors may include in such assessment an amount sufficient to pay the expenses of the district which in the judgment of the board will be incurred and become payable before the expiration of one year from the completion or acquisition of such work, including interest to be paid on bonds during said period. **Provides** for the issuance of bonds for the purpose of obtaining money upon petition signed by the holders of title or evidence of title to a majority in area of the lands contained in the district. The board of directors by resolution shall order a special election to be held at the time designated by said board at which shall be submitted to the land owners the question of whether or not bonds of the district shall be

issued in said amount. **Provides** that notice of election shall be published and proof of the publication must be filed by the secretary of the district before the returns of such election are canvassed.

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 576. WILLIAMS.

Amends Sec. 1241 of the C. C. P., relating to eminent domain. Adds irrigation districts to the list of utilities which may appropriate land already appropriated to public use.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 577. WILLIAMS.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 988.

Amends Title and Sec. 1 and 2 of the Drainage Act of 1907, relating to irrigation districts. The title is amended by adding the following, appearing in lines 4 and 5 of the printed bill "and other public districts empowered by law to provide for the irrigation of lands." The amendment to Sec. 1 **provides** that any irrigation district or other public district may provide for all drainage made necessary by irrigation. The amendment to Sec. 2 **empowers** the board of directors to include in the annual assessment, in addition to other amounts levied, an amount not exceeding one per cent of the assessed valuation for drainage purposes.

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 578. WILLIAMS.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1726.

Amends Sec. 30a of the California Irrigation District Act of 1897. Eliminates from the present section the provision that the irrigation district bond commission shall fix the proper dates of maturities of the bonds and as to the advisability of proceeding with the bond issue. It **eliminates** the necessity of approval of estimate which may include provision for interest on bonds. **Permits** the board of directors to use the proceeds of bond sale for the payment of interest of any bonds in the amount authorized for such purpose.

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 579. WILLIAMS.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1726.

Adds Sec. 32b to the California Irrigation District Act of 1897. Provides that the irrigation district bond commission may require, for any issue of bonds, that the proceeds for the payment of interest, not exceeding one year's interest on all bonds, shall be deposited in the state treasury in the irrigation district bond security fund. **Provides** that holder of bonds may request payment of interest when the district defaults on interest payment. Any moneys so used from this fund must be included in the next annual assessment and when collected paid into the state treasury. **Provides** that upon payment of bonds and interest, the amount of money and interest in the bond,

shall be transferred to the general fund of the district. **Provides** for investment of funds, when certain amount is in fund, in same manner as state school funds.

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 580. WILLIAMS.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1732b.

Amends Sec. 3b of the Irrigation District Bond Investment Act of 1913. Provides that bonds of irrigation district shall be approved by the state engineer instead of the irrigation district bond commission.

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 581. WILLIAMS.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1732.

Amends Sees. 2 and 4 of the act of 1909, relating to the payment of installments of irrigation district assessments. The amendments to the sections permit the board of directors, either on their own initiative or upon petition, to permit assessment to be paid in two installments and provide by resolution what portion shall constitute each of said installments. **Sec. 4 prescribes** the time when each installment shall become delinquent.

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 582. EDWIN BAKER.

New General Law. The title states that the bill **provides** for the preparation, printing and distribution of road maps of state highways and makes appropriation therefor.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 583. EDWIN BAKER.

New General Law. The title states that the bill **prohibits** advertising matter on any public road, street, highway, avenue, lane, or alley.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 584. EDWIN BAKER.

New General Law. The title states that the bill provides for the licensing of dealers in motor vehicle tires.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

A. B. 585. EDWIN BAKER.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2331b

Amends the Motor Vehicle Act of 1915.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

A. B. 586. EDWIN BAKER.

Adds Sec. 633d to the Pol. Code.

Requires every contract of insurance or renewal (including indemnity or suretyship) to be countersigned by an **agent** of the company, authorized to do business in this state, who has approved the risk; such agent shall receive or be credited with payment of the premium and to him shall be paid any commission on the premium. No contract of insurance shall be written by any officer of a company which contract has been previously countersigned by an agent in this state. This section shall not prevent a company authorized to do business in this state from binding risks covering in this state (contracts of insurance which are to take effect immediately and which are usually unwritten); provided policies therefor are thereafter issued by an agent of the company residing within the state who shall receive or be credited with payment of the premium and to whom shall be paid any commission on the premium. Companies writing all policies and renewals outside of the state shall be considered as complying with the section if their agent residing within the state countersigns such contracts; such agent shall keep a complete record thereof. No insurance company authorized to transact business in this state shall reinsure risks in this state of a company not authorized to do business in this state; this shall not prohibit a company authorized to do business in this state to assume in their entirety all outstanding risks and liabilities of another insurer. Policies countersigned by one company need not be countersigned by a company reinsuring. This section shall not prohibit an insurer or agent from paying commissions to another insurer. The statement required by Sec. 611 of the Pol. Code must contain a statement that this section has not been violated. The insurance commissioner shall inspect any office of a company which he has been informed has violated the provisions of this section. Makes violation of this section a misdemeanor and punishable by a fine of \$500 or by revocation of license. A company may contest a revocation in court. This section shall not apply to the following forms of insurance: (a) Life, (b) Marine, (c) Accident, (d) Insurance on property of or in the custody of interstate common carriers, (e) Contracts executed without the state covering risks temporarily within the state, (f) Reciprocal or inter insurance contracts, (g) Title insurance, (h) Fraternal benefit societies, (i) County mutual fire insurance.

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 587. FELLOW.

Establishes new seawall lot in San Francisco and places the same under the jurisdiction of the State Harbor Commissioners.

To Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

A. B. 588. STOW.

Amends Sec. 4247 of the Pol. Code. Santa Barbara County Government Act.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 589. DAWSON.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 3930.

Adds Sec. 6a to the Vrooman Act. **Authorizes** cities to do work directly and to purchase material and hire labor therefor. Municipalities shall only charge actual cost against the property benefited. **Prohibits** the use of material which is patented or otherwise restricted from general free public use.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 590. DAVIS.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1275f.

Amends California Fruit and Vegetable Standardization Act of 1921.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Agriculture.

A. B. 591. DAVIS.

Amends Sec. 4308 of the Pol. Code, relating to the district attorney's special fund.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 592. EDWIN BAKER.

Amends Sec. 633 of the Pol. Code, relating to licensing of insurance agents and solicitors. **Provides** that no person shall act as agent for insurance or surety companies or their insurer until he shall have obtained a **license** from the insurance commissioner. **Prescribes** form of application to insurance commissioner. **Provides** for investigation by the insurance commissioner of agents and of the business conduct of such agent. **Provides** for a review of the action of the commissioner in court. **Excepts** county mutual fire insurance companies, title insurance business or fraternity benefit societies on regular license, reciprocal or inter-insurance exchange, their attorneys, agents or employees.

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 593. EDWIN BAKER.

Amends Sec. 628a of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game. Permits angling for striped bass during certain seasons of the year. The same provisions as to time are in the present section. **Prohibits** the taking or catching of striped bass in any net, or seine for the period of six years beginning on August 1, 1923, and ending on August 1, 1929.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 594. EDWIN BAKER.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2331b.

Amends the Motor Vehicle Act of 1915.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

A. B. 595. DAVIS.

Deer. Gen. L. Act. No. 1726.

Amends Sec. 15 of the California Irrigation District Act of 1897. Provides that boards of directors of irrigation districts organized under this act may, in addition to other matters specified in the act, make rules and regulations for declaring unpaid tolls and charges delinquent, and to discontinue furnishing water so long as the tolls and charges remain **delinquent and unpaid. Permits** the board of directors to provide uniform and reasonable **penalties** for tampering with delivery gates or checks or for violating any other rules and regulations and permits the adoption of reasonable methods for enforcing the penalties.

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 596. JONES.

Amends Sec. 1545 of the Pol. Code, relating to the duties of the superintendent of schools. Adds to the section the **second** subdivision which provides that the superintendent of schools shall assume the powers and duties of the local school officers and proceed to maintain a free school for a district where in any district a majority of the school trustees or board of education shall resign and the officer whose duty it is to fill such vacancy is unable to fill such vacancy within a period of **fifteen days.**

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 597. JONES.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2232a.

Amends Sec. 3 of the act of 1921, accepting the provisions of the Federal Oil Leasing Act. Provides that after first school year, if the work of a junior college maintaining a department of agriculture has been in accordance with the general regulations of the board of education and the work is approved by commissioner of vocational training, such college shall receive, in addition to the junior college

allotment, the sum of \$500 as a department allotment and in addition thereto the sum of \$50 for each and every unit of average daily attendance in agricultural department. **Provides** that no junior college district shall receive from the state more than **one-half** of the total cost for maintenance of the college for the next preceeding year.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 598. WHITACRE.

Amends Sec. 626j of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 599. WHITACRE.

Amends Sec. 626o of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish. Adds a provision to the present section prohibiting the using of, or having in possession while hunting, a shotgun capable of carrying more than **six** shells.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 600. WHITACRE.

Amends Sec. 626d of the Penal Code, relating to protection of fish and game. All the matter contained in line 13, page 1 of the printed bill, beginning with the word "provided" and continuing through the rest of the page and on page 2, to and including the word "misdemeanor" in line 2. The **effect** of this amendment would be to change the bag limits materially.

Note. There were two sections 626d enacted in 1919. The first, of which this is an amendment, did not conform to the Federal Migratory Bird Treaty and the same objection might be raised to this.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 601. WHITACRE.

Repeals Sec. 626u of the Penal Code, relating to affidavit when shipping deer. Said section reads as follows:

"Any person lawfully killing a deer during the open season may ship such entire deer to any part of the state during the open season for the killing of deer in the district in which the animal is killed, provided that an affidavit is made before a justice of the peace or notary public, in which affidavit is set forth the date and place of killing, the name and address, the number of hunting license of the party killing and shipping the deer, the name and address of the party to whom the deer is shipped. The original of this affidavit must immediately be filed with the Fish and Game Commission in San Francisco, a copy attached to the carcass of the deer shipped and a copy left on file with the notary public or justice of the peace before whom the affidavit is made. After such deer is received in the district in which the season is closed, if it is desired to distribute it to two or more persons, the receiver must at once file with the Fish and Game Commission a list of the persons receiving any part of the said deer. Every person failing to comply with

the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and is punishable by a fine of not less than twenty-five dollars nor more than five hundred dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail, in the county in which the conviction shall be had, of not less than twenty-five days, nor more than one hundred and fifty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment; and all fines and forfeitures imposed or collected for any violation of any of the provisions of this section shall be paid into the state treasury, to the credit of the fish and game preservation fund."

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 602. WHITACRE.

Amends Sec. 626 of the Penal Code, relating to protection of fish and game. **Provides** different season for hunting mountain, desert and valley quail in fish and game district No. 4 and makes open season from November 15 to and including December 31, of the same year.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 603. WHITACRE.

Amends Sec. 200 of the C. C. P., relating to exemptions from jury duty. **Provides** that the wife of an attorney at law is exempt from jury duty and **eliminates** licentiate druggists from list of exemptions.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 604. WHITACRE.

Appropriates \$150,000 for construction and equipment of buildings for training school and shop purposes at State Teachers College at San Diego.

To Committee on Normal Schools.

A. B. 605. WHITACRE.

Appropriates \$48,500 for improvements, including repairs and equipment at State Teachers College at San Diego.

To Committee on Normal Schools.

A. B. 606. WHITACRE.

Appropriates \$16,000 for purchase of land adjacent to the present site of the State Teachers College at San Diego for the use of such college.

To Committee on Normal Schools.

A. B. 607. WHITACRE.

Amends Sec. 345 of the Civil Code, relating to extension of time of delinquent stock sale. **Provides** that notice of extension or postponement must be published at least once in the paper in which the original notice was published.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 608. WILLIAMS AND ERB.

New General Law. Creates the office of State Narcotic Director. **Provides** that his salary shall be fixed by the Board of Control with the approval of the governor, and that he shall hold office during the pleasure of the governor. **Prescribes** his powers and duties. **Provides** for the disposition of fines collected for violation of narcotic laws. **Repeals** all acts in conflict.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 609. A. G. MITCHELL.

Appropriates \$19,507.50 to pay the claim of the city of Sacramento against the State of California.

To Committee on Claims.

A. B. 610. JOHN W. JOHNSTON.

Amends Sec. 3480 and adds Sec. 3480 $\frac{1}{2}$ to the Pol. Code, relating to issuance of bonds by reclamation districts. The amendment to Sec. 3480 would permit reclamation districts to issue funding bonds. The amendment to Sec. 3480 $\frac{1}{2}$ **provides** the method for calling elections to issue funding bonds. **Prescribes** the necessary procedure for holding such election and canvassing the votes. **Prescribes** the form of bond to be issued and provides for the cancellation of funding bonds not sold.

To Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

A. B. 611. SMITH.

Amends Sec. 1261 of the Pol. Code, relating to the duties of election boards.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Elections.

A. B. 612. SMITH.

Amends Sec. 1263 of the Pol. Code, relating to election returns.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Elections.

A. B. 613. SMITH.

Amends Sec. 1264 of the Pol. Code, relating to the duties of election officers.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Elections.

A. B. 614. SMITH.

Amends Sec. 1268 of the Pol. Code, relating to the filing of election returns with the county clerk.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Elections.

A. B. 615. SMITH.

Amends Sec. 1232 of the C. C. P., relating to dissolution of corporations. Provides that a certified copy of the decree and order of dissolution must be filed in the office of the county clerk of **each** county in which the original articles of incorporation or a certified copy thereof is required by law to be filed.

To Committee on Corporations.

A. B. 616. SMITH.

Amends Sec. 3669c of the Pol. Code, relating to delinquent corporations.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Corporations.

A. B. 617. SMITH.

Amends Sec. 4024 of the Pol. Code, relating to appointment of deputies by county, townships or district officers, except a supervisor or judicial officer.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 618. SMITH.

Amends Sec. 799 of the Pol. Code, relating to approval of official bonds of notaries public. Provides that in counties having more than one superior judge the bond must be approved by **all** the judges, except that where there are **five or more** superior judges the bond must be approved by **three** superior judges.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 619. SMITH.

Amends Sec. 1808 of the C. C. P., relating to recording orders appointing guardians. Provides that orders appointing guardians become decree of court and must be entered at length in the minute book or must be signed by the judge and filed.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 620. SMITH.

Amends Sec. 1760 of the C. C. P., relating to transfer of proceedings from one county to another. The amendment eliminates the provision of the present section requiring the payment of a filing fee to the county clerk of the county to which the proceeding is transferred.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 621. SMITH.

Amends Sec. 4178 of the Pol. Code, relating to the duties of the county clerk.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 622. SMITH.

Repeals Sec. 927n of the C. C. P., relating to abstracts of judgments of small claims courts. Said section reads as follows: "The abstract may be filed in the office of the county clerk of the county in which the judgment was rendered, and the judgment docketed in the judgment docket of the superior court thereof. The date of the receipt of the abstract by the clerk must be noted by him thereon, and entered in the docket."

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 623. SMITH.

Amends Sec. 1207 of the Penal Code, relating to judgments in criminal actions. **Eliminates** from the present section the provision that a copy of the minutes of the trial shall be a part of the record of a criminal action after the rendition of judgment.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 624. SMITH.

Amends Sec. 1246 of the Penal Code, relating to appeals in criminal cases. **Provides** that the clerk in preparing a transcript on appeal in a criminal case may **omit a copy of the minutes** of the trial, unless an appeal is taken from the minutes of the court, in which case he **must include** a copy of the minutes of the trial.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 625. SMITH.

Amends Sec. 1373 of the C. C. P., relating to notices of hearing of petition for letters of administration. The amendment **provides** that the applicant shall mail the notices required by the present section

to be mailed by the county clerk. **Defects.** The bill should be amended in line 12 to read as follows: "the applicant shall cause similar notices to be mailed, postage prepaid to the heirs of the decedent named in the petition, at least ten days before the hearing, addressed to them at their respective post-office addresses as set forth in the petition, otherwise at the county seat of the county where the proceedings are pending."

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 626. SMITH.

Amends Sec. 653d of the Civil Code, relating to articles of association of cooperative associations.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Corporations.

A. B. 627. SMITH.

Amends Sec. 1247 of the Penal Code, relating to appeals in criminal cases. Provides that on appeal in criminal cases the appellant must specify in addition to other ground of appeal, whether or not the appeal is taken from the minutes of the court. **Probable effect.** Unless an appeal from the minutes of the trial is taken the clerk of the court will not be compelled to set out the minutes in the transcript on appeal.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 628. SMITH.

Amends Sec. 4294 of the Pol. Code. Provides that each county and township officer must file a verified statement of all fees, fines and other money collected by him each month with the auditor and that such statement must be verified and must also show the amount of any other money coming into his possession as such officer. Also requires a statement of the disposition of such money.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 629. SMITH.

Amends Sec. 2168 of the Pol. Code, relating to warrant of arrest in insanity proceedings.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 630. SMITH.

Amends Sec. 2171 of the Pol. Code, relating to form of judgments in insanity proceedings.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 631. SMITH.

Amends Sec. 2470 of the Civil Code, relating to the register of fictitious names to be kept by the county clerk. **Provides** that county clerks must arrange in alphabetical order all fictitious names of persons or partnerships transacting business under fictitious names.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 632. SMITH.

Amends Sec. 149 of the C. C. P., relating to seals of superior courts. The amendment **permits** duplicate seals to be used as directed by court. The amendment consists of the matter in line 11, beginning with the word "Duplicate" to and including all of line 14.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 633. SNYDER.

Appropriates \$25,000 for the equipment of a gymnasium for the State Teachers College at Chico.

To Committee on Normal Schools.

A. B. 634. SNYDER.

Appropriates \$27,000 for improvements, including repairs and equipment, for the State Teachers College at Chico.

To Committee on Normal Schools.

A. B. 635. SNYDER.

Appropriates \$25,000 for the purchase of the Bidwell mansion for the use of State Teachers College at Chico.

To Committee on Normal Schools.

A. B. 636. SNYDER.

Amends Secs. 1487, 1488, 1489, 1494, 1503, 1507 and repeals Secs. 1490, 1491, 1495 and 1496 of the Pol. Code, relating to teachers colleges.

The amendment to **Sec. 1487** in addition to the provision of the present section **permits** the department of education in its discretion to admit to any state teachers college, where the capacity permits, students desiring to receive not more than **two** years of general collegiate instruction.

The amendment to **Sec. 1488** is practically the same as the amendment of 1921 and places the teachers colleges under the supervision of the state department of education.

The amendment to **Sec. 1489** is as follows: The words "boards of trustees" are **omitted** and the words "the department of education

with respect to" in lines 3 and 4, page 2 of the printed bill are **substituted**. In subdivision 3 the word "text" is **eliminated** as is the word "intermediate" in subdivision 4. In subdivision 7 the following is **eliminated**: "to elect the president of the college who shall be ex-officio secretary of the board and an assistant secretary who shall receive such salary as may be allowed by the board" and in lieu thereof the following is **substituted**: "To appoint the president and other members of the faculty, officers and employees of the college in accordance with the provisions of Sec. 362a of the Political Code," page 2, lines 30, 31, 32 and 33. The provisions of the present section relative to the election of members of the faculty and other collegiate officers upon their nomination by the president of the college is **eliminated** as are the words "California State Teachers College" after the phrase "that in case a member of the faculty," page 2, line 41; the words "agreed upon by the employing board of trustees" are **eliminated** and the following are substituted "determined by the state director of education," page 2, line 44; the amendment also **eliminates** from the present section the following: "agreed upon by the employing board of trustees. The trustees shall appoint the other employees of the college and fix and provide for the payment of their salary" and substitutes in lieu thereof the following: "determined by the director of education," line 44, page 2.

Subdivisions 10, 12 and 13 of the present section are **eliminated**.

Subdivision 11 of the section herein amended contains the provisions of subdivision 13, relating to the attendance upon the county institute.

The amendment to Sec. 1494 **adds** to the present section the following: "provided that teachers holding a valid certificate to teach in any county in this state may be admitted to any state teachers college."

The amendment to Sec. 1503 **eliminates** the following from the present section: "the board of trustees of each teachers college" and **substitutes** in lieu thereof the following: "the department of education and," line 31, page 3. The word "president" is **added** before the word "and" in line 32, page 3. The following is **eliminated**: "authorized by section 1489 of this code" and in lieu thereof is **added** the following: "in such teachers college in accordance with law," line 36, page 3. Subdivision 2 of the present section is completely changed and is made to read as follows: "Upon presentation of such diploma to the state board of education, said board shall grant the holder of such diploma a credential of corresponding grade, which credential shall be revocable by the State Board of Education for any of the causes specified in section 1519a of the Pol. Code. Upon presentation to any county, or city and county board of education, of such diploma and credential such board of education shall without fee grant the holder of such diploma and credential a certificate corresponding in grade to the grade of the diploma."

The amendment to Sec. 1507 **eliminates** the following from the present section: "by the board of trustees of a state teachers college must be signed by the president and countersigned by the secretary" and **inserts** in lieu thereof the following: "must be signed by

the director of education or his agent duly authorized for such purpose," line 11 and 12, page 4. The amendment **eliminates** the words "signed" and "countersigned" from the present section following the word "aforesaid" in line 12, page 4. The words "State Board of Education" are **substituted** in line 15, page 4, in lieu of the words "board of trustees."

Sec. 1490, which is **repealed**, reads as follows: "Each board of trustees must hold two regular meetings in each year and may hold special meetings at the call of the secretary when directed by the chairman."

Sec. 1491, which is **repealed**, reads as follows: "The time and place of regular meetings must be fixed by the by-laws of the board. The secretary must give written notice of the time and place of special meetings to each member of the board. Each member shall be allowed his expenses in attending the meetings of the board, the bills to be audited the same as any bills for the maintenance of the school."

Sec. 1495, which is **repealed**, reads as follows: "Teachers holding valid certificates to teach in any country in this state, may be admitted to any state normal school in the state."

Sec. 1496, which is **repealed** reads as follows: "Persons resident of another state may be admitted upon letters of recommendation from the governor or superintendent of schools thereof."

This bill purports to repeal Sec. 1505 of the Pol. Code. Said section was repealed in 1917. See Stats. 1917, p. 1419.

The title of this bill should be amended to read as follows: "An act to amend Secs. 1487, 1488, 1489, 1494, 1503 and to repeal Secs. 1490, 1491, 1495 and 1496 of the Pol. Code, relating to State Teachers Colleges."

To Committee on Normal Schools.

A. B. 637. MUELLER.

New General Law. Grants to the City of Coronado the tide lands owned by the State of California within the boundaries of said city. **Reserves** to the people of the State of California the right to fish in said waters and also the right to use the wharves, etc., for all purposes of commerce and navigation.

To Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

A. B. 638. ROBERTS.

Appropriates \$884.73 to pay the claim of the Postal Telegraph Company against the State of California.

To Committee on Claims.

A. B. 639. WELLER.

Amends Sec. 690 of the C. C. P., relating to property exempt from execution. **Permits** the levying of a writ of attachment or writ of

execution upon the earnings of the judgment debtor in excess of \$30 per week. **Defect.** Sec. 2 should be **eliminated** as the act is **not** an urgency measure. See Art. IV, Sec. 1 of the constitution.

To Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

A. B. 640. WELLER.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 3937a.

Amends Secs. 1, 2, 4, 36 and adds Sec. 37 to the Street Improvement Act of 1911. The title of the present act is **amended** by the addition of the matter contained in line 8, page 1 of the present bill to and including the word "public" in line 10, page 1; the words "rights of way" in lines 10 and 11, page 1, all of lines 12, 13 and 14, and the first four words in line 15, and the words "sanitary and storm" in line 16. The word "sidewalks" is **omitted** preceding the word "drainage" in line 16. All of the matter beginning with the word "drainage" in line 16, to and including line 2, page 2 of the printed bill is **added**. In addition to the matter set forth in Sec. 1 of the present law the following is **added** to Sec. 1: "or rights of way," "or crossings," and "whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities, or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities and unincorporated territory," lines 7, 8 and 10, page 2, and the following is **eliminated** from the present section: "And the said city council of each municipality and the board of supervisors of the county in which said municipality is located, are hereby empowered to establish and change the grades of such streets, alleys, lanes, avenues, places or courts, and fix the width thereof, and are hereby vested with jurisdiction to order to be done thereon any of the work mentioned in Sec. 2 of this act under the proceedings hereinafter prescribed," page 2, line 14.

The following matter is **eliminated** from Sec. 2 of the present section: The words "piled or repiled, capped or recapped," line 32, page 2. This section authorizes the city council of any municipality and the board of supervisors of the county in which such municipality is situated, to establish, change or modify the grade of and to order the whole or any portion or portions, either in length or width, of any one or more of the streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places or rights of way, forming or crossing the exterior boundary or boundaries of any municipality or municipalities of this state, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into or through the territory of one or more municipalities and unincorporated territory, graded or regraded to the existing or proposed official grade.

Sec. 4 **substitutes** "two days" for "six days" in the present section, and **adds** lines 39, 40 and first four words in line 41, page 3 of printed bill to the effect that the objection shall describe the land of each objector and be signed by each objector or his duly authorized agent. Also **adds** to the present section, lines 2 to 11, inclusive, page 4, a provision that in all instances where the council or board finds and determines that the owners of a majority of the frontage of the property fronting on said proposed work or improvement, have

delivered to said clerk written objections as hereinbefore prescribed, against the said work or improvement, such objections shall be a bar for six months to any further proceedings in relation to the doing of said work or the making of said improvement, unless the owners of one-half or more of the frontage as aforesaid shall in the meanwhile petition for the same to be done. Also adds to the present section, lines 43 to 52, page 4 and lines 1 to 4, page 5, a provision that the district may include territory in one or more municipalities and also unincorporated territory, and which district the said council or board shall in its resolution of intention declare to be the district benefited by said work or improvement and be assessed to pay the costs and expenses thereof. The resolution of intention shall be general in terms. It shall describe the district and refer to a map or plats approved by the council or board, which shall indicate by a boundary line the extent of the territory to be included in said assessment district. Also adds to this section the words "and posting," line 9, page 5, after the word "publication."

Sec. 36 in addition to the provisions of the present section **authorizes** the improvement of any right of way extending along the boundary line between two municipalities or along the boundary line of any municipality and unincorporated territory or extending from or through one or more municipalities into or through unincorporated territory and **provides** that the city council or board of supervisors of the county in which such municipalities are situated shall have concurrent jurisdiction of all proceedings under this act to effect the improvement of such streets or rights of way, and **provides** that the council or board of supervisors passing the resolution of intention shall have **exclusive** jurisdiction of all work and proceedings by such resolution.

Sec. 37 **provides** that the governing boards mentioned in this act may determine that serial bonds shall issue to represent assessments of twenty-five dollars or more and may so declare in the resolution of intention.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 641. BADHAM.

Appropriates \$1,880.94 to pay the claim of the B. F. Coulter Association against the State of California.

To Committee on Claims.

A. B. 642. BADHAM.

Appropriates \$2,761.90 to pay assessments against the property of the University of California for the improvement of Vernon avenue in the city of Los Angeles.

To Committee on Universities.

A. B. 643. BADHAM.

Appropriates \$16,800 for payment of assessments against the property of the University of California for the improvement of Heliotrope drive and Willowbrook avenue in the city of Los Angeles.

To Committee on Universities.

A. B. 644. BADHAM.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2213b.

Amends the act of 1915, relative to the supervision of petroleum and gas production. The amendment to Sec. 1 (which is the only section amended by the bill as it stands) **provides** that the Department of Petroleum and Gas of the State Mining Bureau shall be maintained in Los Angeles. The amendment occurs on page 2 of the printed bill, lines 9 to 15, inclusive. Sec. 2 is in skeleton form.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 645. BADHAM.

Amends Sec. 1313 of the Civil Code, relating to charitable bequests. **Adds** municipality or other political institutions to list excepted from the restrictions of this section. **Eliminates** the restriction that devises must be for the use or benefit of the state or any state institution.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 646. DOZIER.

Deer. Gen. L. Act No. 2164.

Amends Secs. 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 10 $\frac{1}{2}$, 11, 12 $\frac{1}{2}$, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, 22, 23 and 24 of the State Medical Practice Act of 1913. The title is defective. The words "these licenses" should be stricken out and the words "those licensed to" inserted.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

A. B. 647. DOZIER.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2143c.

Amends Sec. 8 of the Workmen's Compensation Act of 1917. **Defines** the term "casual" with reference to such employment where the work contemplated is to be completed in less than ten days and where the total labor cost is less than \$500.

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 648. DOZIER.

Repeals the act of 1919, relating to refunds of taxes, fees and penalties wrongfully collected by the medical examiner. **See** Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 2165.

To Committee on Claims.

A. B. 649. DOZIER.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2348.

Amends Sec. 862 of the Municipal Corporation Act of 1883. The amendment occurs in subdivision 10, lines 40 and 41, page 2 of the printed bill and **permits** municipal corporations of the sixth class to license every kind of business for the purpose of revenue and regulation **in the exercise of their police powers and not otherwise.**

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 650. DOZIER.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1726.

Amends Sec. 46 of the California Irrigation District Act of 1897. The amendment **provides** that when the property is sold to the district and a redemption is made by the owner before a sale by the district that only a penalty of **ten** per cent shall be added as provided in Sec. 43 of the act. Defects: Line 11, "regular" should be "regularly." Line 12, "to" should read "put."

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 651. MISS MILLER.

Appropriates \$25,000 to help to defray the expenses of a session of the Grand Army of the Republic. The appropriation is contingent on the session of the national encampment of the G. A. R. being held in Pasadena during 1924.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

A. B. 652. MISS MILLER.

Appropriates \$1,500 to pay the claim of Dunn, White and Aiken against the State of California.

To Committee on Claims.

A. B. 653. MRS. WOODBRIDGE.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2643.

Adds Sec. 15a to The Teachers' Retirement Salary Act of 1913. **Provides** that service in a public school as attendance officer by a person holding valid teacher's certificate shall be equivalent to service under a legal certificate and the time of such service shall be reckoned in determining the right to retirement salary. **The title is defective** and should be amended.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 654. DONOHUE.

Adds Sec. 4041a to the Pol. Code, relating to the powers of boards of supervisors. **Grants** power to board of supervisors to spend not to exceed **ten per cent** of the general road fund on roads which are **not** sufficient in width to be acceptable as county highways.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 655. MOORE.

Appropriates \$38,636 for the completion of construction and equipment of buildings at the Humboldt State Teachers College.

To Committee on Normal Schools.

A. B. 656. MOORE.

Appropriates \$1,275 for the purchase of land adjacent to the present site of the Humboldt State Teachers College.

To Committee on Normal Schools.

A. B. 657. MOORE.

Appropriates \$25,980 for improvements, including repairs and equipment, at the Humboldt State Teachers College.

To Committee on Normal Schools.

A. B. 658. MOORE.

Deer, Gen. L. No. 1295d.

Amends Sec. 32 of the Fish and Game District Act of 1917. The amendment defines the boundary line of fish and game district 7a. The title of this bill should be amended.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 659. MRS. SAYLOR.

Adds chapter II to title V of part III of the Pol. Code, embracing Secs. 2251 to 2260, both inclusive, relating to the education of the deaf and blind and **purports to repeal** Secs. 2237, 2238, 2239, 2240, 2243, 2244, 2254, 2255, 2257, 2267, 2270, 2280, and 2282 of said code.

Sec. 2236 locates the California School for the Deaf at Berkeley. **Sec. 2237** provides that such school is a part of the school system of the state, but that it shall derive no revenue from the public school fund. **Sec. 2238** provides that every person of suitable age and a resident of this state is entitled to free admission thereto. **Sec. 2239** provides for admission of foreign students on payment of tuition of \$600 each per school year. **Sec. 2240** provides that on the inability of a parent to properly clothe a deaf child the judge of the superior court of the county in which such child is resident may certify such fact to the principal of the California School for the Deaf and such child shall thereupon be provided with clothing and transportation to be advanced out of the money appropriated for the support of the school, such expense to become a charge against the county of the residence of the child. **Sec. 2241** provides that the school shall be under the supervision of the State Department of Education. **Sec. 2242** specifies the powers and duties of the State Department of Education in relation to the school. **Sec. 2243** specifies the qualifications of the principal of said school. **Sec. 2244** specifies the qualifications for teachers in such school. **Sec. 2245** provides the powers and duties of the principal shall be such as are assigned to him by the State

Director of Education. **Sec. 2251** locates the California School for the Blind at Berkeley. **Secs. 2252, 2253, 2254, 2255, 2256, 2257, 2258, 2259 and 2260** are corresponding provisions to the sections above enumerated, except that they apply to the California School for the Blind.

Sec. 2 of the bill **purports to repeal** the following sections: **Sec. 2237** which locates the California School for the Deaf and the Blind. **Sec. 2238** which provides for admission thereto. **Sec. 2239** which relates to tuition fee. **Sec. 2240** which relates to the furnishing of clothing and transportation, etc. **Sec. 2243** which provides the matter of payment of salary. **Sec. 2244** which relates to official bonds. **Sec. 2254** which relates to the control of the school by the board of directors thereof. **Sec. 2255** which relates to powers and duties of the board of directors. **Sec. 2257** which relates to the salaries of directors. **Sec. 2267** which relates to qualifications of the principal. **Sec. 2270** which relates to the bond of the principal. **Sec. 2280** which relates to the duties of the treasurer of the school. **Sec. 2282** which relates to the bond of the treasurer of the school.

The **title** to this act is **defective** for the reason that the sections purported to be repealed are not mentioned therein.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 660. MRS. SAYLOR.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 3574.

Amends **Sec. 10** of The Compulsory Education Act of 1903. The section is completely **revamped** and as amended **provides** that any child who is blind or deaf, or partially so, to such an extent as to render him incapable of receiving instruction in **regular** elementary or secondary schools, but who is mentally competent to a degree sufficient to permit him to study, shall be exempt from this act, **only** when the place of his residence does not maintain special classes for such pupils and when such child shall not be admitted to the state blind or deaf schools. Such exemptions shall be granted **only** upon the **written approval** of the Superintendent of Schools.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 661. MRS. SAYLOR.

Appropriates \$30,000 for the construction and equipment of a kindergarten and entering building for the California School for the Deaf.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 662. MRS. SAYLOR.

Appropriates \$8,000 for the biennial period ending June 30, 1925, for providing readers for blind persons residing in the State of California and for graduates of the California School for the Deaf and the Blind or of any high school who shall matriculate in the University of California or other approved colleges, and to defray the expense

of such graduates who may matriculate in the National College for the Deaf at Washington, D. C. **Provides** that not more than \$300 shall be expended for any one student in any one school year.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 663. MRS. SAYLOR.

Appropriates \$420,000 for construction and equipment of buildings for the California School for the Blind.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 664. MRS. SAYLOR.

Appropriates \$50,000 for the construction and equipment of a hospital for the California School for the Deaf and Blind.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 665. MRS. SAYLOR.

Appropriates \$6,000 for the construction and equipment of a residence for the business manager of the California School for the Deaf and Blind.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 666. MRS. SAYLOR.

Appropriates \$40,250 for improvements, including repairs and equipment at the California School for the Deaf and Blind.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 667. COOMBS.

Adds Sec. 1319 to the C. C. P., relating to contest of wills where a forfeiture clause is contained in the will. **Provides** that no bequest, legacy or interest of a beneficiary under a will containing a forfeiture clause in case of contest shall be lost or forfeited in case of a contest where the contest is brought on the ground of forgery of said will. **Declares** such forfeiture clause to be contrary to public policy and void and of no effect. **Defines the term** "alleged forgery of said will."

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 668. KLINE.

Provides for formation of Palo Verde Irrigation District.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 669. KLINE.

Appropriates \$201.30 to pay the claim of J. C. Tario, Jr., against the State of California.

To Committee on Claims.

A. B. 670. KLINE.

Appropriates \$1,015.84 to pay the claim of T. Ashton Fry and Fannie S. Fry against the State of California.

To Committee on Claims.

A. B. 671. KLINE.

Appropriates \$2,077.96 to pay the claim of the Auditorium Company, a corporation, against the State of California.

To Committee on Claims.

A. B. 672. KLINE.

Appropriates \$164.06 to pay the claim of E. A. Wheeler against the State of California.

To Committee on Claims.

A. B. 673. KLINE.

Appropriates \$643.44 to pay the claim of Clark & Henery Construction Company against the State of California.

To Committee on Claims.

A. B. 674. WEST AND JOHNSTON.

Appropriates the sum of \$----- for erection and equipment of state buildings for state purposes in the city of Sacramento.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

A. B. 675. DEAN.

Adds Sec. 2768 to the Civil Code. The title states the bill relates to life insurance.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 676. CRITTENDEN.

New General Law. Defines what shall constitute a collection agency. **Provides** for filing application with Secretary of State. **Requires** filing of bond by agency to protect persons who entrust

claims to the agency. **Provides** for payment of license fee, and issuance of certificate by Secretary of State. **Provides** for payment of renewal fee. **Requires** written notice to be given of new application and bond upon renewal of license. **Provides** a statute of limitation in actions against sureties on the bond. **Provides** for hearing of charges against the agency. **Provides** that Secretary of State must keep record of agencies and bonds. **Provides** for penalties for violation of the act. **Exempts** attorneys-at-law in certain transactions.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 677. DUVAL.

Amends Sec. 653sb of the Civil Code, relating to cooperative associations. **Provides** such association may use and employ its facilities for any purpose, provided the proceeds shall go to reduce the cost of operation for its members. **Provides** that products of non-members shall not be dealt in to an amount greater in value than such as are handled for its members.

To Committee on Agriculture.

A. B. 678. CONNOLLY.

Amends Sec. 1158 and adds new Sec. 1158a to the Civil Code, relating to recording of instruments by county recorders. The amendment to Sec. 1158 **provides** that instruments can only be recorded when they comply with the provisions of Sec. 1158a. Sec. 1158a provides for furnishing certain forms by the county recorder. **Provides** instruments must be signed in duplicate and prescribes certain information which must be typewritten in the instrument. **Provides** that one copy of the instrument must be permanently bound and the other be delivered to the person leaving the instrument or to his order. **Probable effect:** To retain the original instrument and signatures in the office of the county recorder and obviate the copying of the original instrument into the records.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 679. CONNOLLY.

Amends Secs. 4130 and 4131 of the Pol. Code, relating to duties of county recorders. **Provides** for the furnishing of certain forms to the county recorder and the furnishing of these forms to applicants at cost. **Provides** for filing instruments by the recorder upon payment of fees. These provisions are made to carry out intended effect of A. B. 678.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 680. CONNOLLY.

Amends Sec. 3823 of the Pol. Code, relating to taxation. **Provides**

that the amount of taxes to be collected by the assessor shall be the full and final tax for the current year. **Repeals** all acts in conflict.

To Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

A. B. 681. CLARKE.

Amends Sec. 3746 of the Pol. Code, relating to publication of notices that taxes are due. **Provides** that the tax collector must include special school taxes in his notice that taxes are due. Changes hour of day when taxes must be paid to 6 P. M. **Question:** The county offices are closed at 5 P. M. by law and the present amendment specifies 6 P. M. Is there a conflict? See Sec. 4312 of the Pol. Code.

To Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

A. B. 682. CLARKE.

Amends Sec. 928 of the Penal Code, relating to grand jury. **Eliminates** from the present section the fixed charges for an expert and his assistants. The **probable effect** will be to make this expense a matter of contract between the expert and the grand jury.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 683. NOYES.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1458f.

Amends Secs. 12, 14 and 27 of the Joint Highway District Act of 1917. The amendment to Sec. 12 **provides** for a contingent fund for the district to meet additional expenses. Appropriates the money received from the Vehicle Act or such money as may be received from the general county fund or general road fund to this fund. The amendment to Sec. 14 **provides** for the hearing of the report of the board of directors for the formation of the district. **Provides** that the district may levy an assessment covering the estimated cost upon the State of California and the several counties comprising the district or may declare its intention to assess one-quarter of the estimated cost upon the lands in private ownership. **Provides** that whenever it declares its intention to assess such lands the board shall immediately proceed to form a highway assessment district and shall determine the amount of benefit to accrue to the state and to each county comprising the district. **Declares** it is the intention of the act that the proceedings for the formation of the highway assessment district and the proceedings to determine the amount the state and the county shall respectively bear shall proceed jointly and at the same time. The amendment to Sec. 27 **provides** that where the amount of the assessment proposed to be assessed against said highway assessment district is modified by said board in its final order it shall not affect the force of the assessment made against the state and counties comprising said district.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 684. NOYES.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2944.

Amends Secs. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10, 11 and 12 and adds Secs. 13 and 14 to the act creating Levee District No. 1 of Sutter County. **Provides** that the board of supervisors of Sutter County shall on the first Monday in May, 1924, call an election for three trustees of said district. **Provides** the method for holding such election and canvassing the votes thereof and also the necessary notices. **Prescribes** powers and duties of board of trustees. **Prescribes** method of levying assessment. **Provides** for hearing as a board of equalization of objections to assessment. **Provides** for publication of filing of assessment list by county treasurer. **Provides** no money shall be drawn from funds except on order of board and countersigned by county auditor. **Provides** for salaries of trustees and fees of officers for collecting assessments. **Provides** for suits to be brought by district attorney to collect all unpaid taxes, he to be allowed a reasonable fee for such services. **Repeals** all acts in conflict.

To Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

A. B. 685. REINDOLLAR.

New General Law. **Provides** that the power shall be vested in boards of supervisors to establish toll road districts. **Provides** the method of formation of such district and for the issuance of bonds. **Provides** for the establishment by the board of supervisors of a sinking fund for the redemption of such bonds. **Defines** what shall constitute a toll district. Incorporates the provisions of Secs. 27, 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32 of the Road District Improvement Act of 1907 (Deer. Gen. L. No. 1465) and declares this act to be an alternative method of accomplishing its object. **Defines** certain terms therein used.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 686. SCHMIDT AND HORNBLOWER.

Amends Sec. 920 of the Penal Code, relating to grand juries. The amendment **provides** that the defendant shall be entitled to be present at any investigation of a charge against him, although the grand jury is not bound to hear his evidence. **Provides** that the grand jury may order the production of evidence tending to explain away the charge against the defendant.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 687. ERB. (By request.)

Deer. Gen. L. No. 297.

Amends Sec. 66 of the Bank Act of 1909. **Adds** the words "or branch office thereof" or equivalent term to the section in the following places: lines 5, 9, 11, 12, 17 and 23, page 1 of the printed bill; **omits** the word "security" following the word "estate" in line 19, page 1, and the word "it" in line 3, page 2. This last is clearly an error.

To Committee on Banking.

A. B. 688. MORRISON.

Appropriates \$85,000 for the purchase of land to be included in the permanent site of the State Teachers College at San Francisco.

To Committee on Normal Schools.

A. B. 689. MORRISON.

Appropriates \$681,000 for the construction of building for the teachers college at San Francisco.

To Committee on Normal Schools.

A. B. 690. MORRISON.

Appropriates \$75,000 for equipment and furnishing of buildings for the State Teachers College at San Francisco.

To Committee on Normal Schools.

A. B. 691. MORRISON.

New General Law. Provides punishment for shooting at another person by mistake while hunting wild game or wild creatures.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 692. MORRISON.

Amends Sec. 626m of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game. **Permits** the catching of striped bass by **night fishing** in certain fish and game districts.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 693. MORRISON.

New General Law. Provides for payment of 50 cents additional for hunting license to be deposited in the "public shooting ground fund," which is created. **Provides** for a commission to be appointed by the Governor to select a place for a public shooting ground. **Provides** for the purchase or rental of grounds by the Director of the Department of Agriculture for the purpose of the act. **Prohibits** certain acts on such grounds. However, does not make such acts a misdemeanor nor does it state how violation shall be punished. Some minor amendments should be made to the bill.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 694. MORRISON.

Amends Sec. 344 of the Pol. Code. The amendment defines certain terms used in the section. **Reduces** the Fish and Game Commission to one commissioner. **Provides** for his appointment by the Governor and that he shall hold office at the pleasure of the Governor, fixes his

salary at \$5,000 and requires him to give a bond. **Provides** for the appointment of assistants and clerical help from the list provided by the Civil Service Commission. **Fixes** salaries of other officers and prohibits the commissioner or any of the officers or employees being a member of any fish, game or gun club. **Probable effect:** To effect a reorganization of the Fish and Game Commission.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 695. MORRISON.

Amends Sec. 631a of the Penal Code, relating to penalties for violation of fish and game laws. The amendment **provides** that fines must not be less than \$25 nor more than \$500 or imprisonment in the county jail not less than 25 days nor more than 180 days or by both such fine and imprisonment. **Provides** as an additional penalty that the violator shall be **prohibited** from hunting or fishing in the State of California for a period of one year.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 696. MATHEWS.

New General Law; relating to banking. **Provides** for the establishment of the "California Bank Depositors Guaranty Fund." **Defines** certain terms used in the act. **Prescribes** amount to be paid into the fund. **Provides** for the administration of such fund by proper officials. **Permits** Superintendent of Banks to prescribe rules and regulations governing admission. **Provides** for examination and supervision by Superintendent of Banks. **Provides** a penalty for disclosure of information of affairs of bank by anyone, **except** such as are required to be made a public record. **Provides** duty of bank to specify amount of deposits eligible to guarantee. **Provides** a method of management of failed banks and for the payment of claims under this act. **Provides** a method of withdrawing from said fund and appropriating the sum of \$2,500 for the purposes of carrying out the provisions of this act.

To Committee on Banking.

A. B. 697. STOW.

Amends Sec. 928 of the Penal Code, relating to grand juries. The amendment **provides** for the investigation of city boards of education within the county by the grand jury. **Eliminates** per diem and mileage fee of grand jurors.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 698. STOW.

Appropriates \$170,000 for the construction and equipment of a main building for the State Teachers College at Santa Barbara.

To Committee on Normal Schools.

A. B. 699. STOW.

Appropriates \$95,000 for equipment of a training school building for the State Teachers College at Santa Barbara.

To Committee on Normal Schools.

A. B. 700. STOW.

Appropriates \$3,000 for the purchase of additional land for the use of the State Teachers College at Santa Barbara.

To Committee on Normal Schools.

A. B. 701. STOW.

Appropriates \$44,500 for improvements, including repairs and equipment, for the State Teachers College at Santa Barbara.

To Committee on Normal Schools.

A. B. 702. BADARACCO.

Appropriates \$100,000 for the building and furnishing of an observatory on Telegraph Hill in San Francisco. **Provides** that the sum of \$25,000 shall be used for furnishing said building. **Provides** that the act shall not be effective **until** the city and county of San Francisco shall indicate its willingness to maintain said building.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

A. B. 703. BADARACCO.

New General Law, relating to school buildings. Provides that the building department of every incorporated town, city and county shall enforce the provisions of this act, and if there is no such department then by the school department or the department which is charged with the enforcing of building, police and fire regulations. **Provides** the method for erecting school houses and provides requirements regarding egress, stairways and fire escapes. **Minimum width** of egress and stairway must be **eight feet**; no stairway to be located over a steam boiler, furnace, heater or meter. No circular or winding stairways to be constructed in schools. **Provides** every school structure of over three stories must be of fireproof construction; schools not exceeding two stories may be of semi-fireproof construction. **Provides** for covering certain joists and soffits with metal laths and plaster; defines different terms used in the act. **Provides** for the floors and roofs of such schools to be so constructed as to sustain certain weights therein scheduled. **Provides** for the specified construction of boiler room so as to prevent hazard of explosion and fire. Violation is a misdemeanor and punishable by fine not exceeding \$500 or imprisonment not exceeding six months or both.

A. B. 704. WRIGHT.

Appropriates \$75,000 for the construction and equipment of a gymnasium for the State Teachers College at San Jose.

To Committee on Normal Schools.

A. B. 705. WRIGHT.

Appropriates \$100,000 for the construction and equipment of a training school building for the State Teachers College at San Jose.

To Committee on Normal Schools.

A. B. 706. WRIGHT.

Appropriates \$55,500 for improvements, including repairs and equipment at the State Teachers College at San Jose.

To Committee on Normal Schools.

A. B. 707. WRIGHT.

Appropriates \$150,000 for the construction and equipment of a dormitory and cafeteria building for the State Teachers College at San Jose.

To Committee on Normal Schools.

A. B. 708. SPALDING.

Appropriates \$8,000 for the erection and equipment of an industrial building for women patients at the Agnews State Hospital.

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

A. B. 709. SPALDING.

Appropriates \$83,000 for the erection and equipment of buildings for officers and employees at Agnews State Hospital.

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

A. B. 710. BADARACCO.

Adds Sec. 211a to the Penal Code. Defines highway robbery to include the robbery of persons riding in automobiles or other vehicles on public streets or highways or roads in any county, city, or city and county in this state.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 711. BADARACCO.

Adds **Sec. 207a** to the **Penal Code**, relating to the punishment for kidnaping when committed by the use of an automobile.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 712. BADARACCO.

Amends **Secs. 211 and 213** of the **Penal Code**, relating to robbery and the punishment therefor. The title is defective; it should read "An act to amend Sections 211 and 213 of the **Penal Code**, relating to robbery and punishment therefor."

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 713. BADARACCO.

Adds **Sec. 211b** to the **Penal Code**. Defines robbery by the use or aid of an automobile or other vehicle to be robbery of the **third** separate class.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 714. BADARACCO.

Amends **Sec. 213** of the **Penal Code**, relating to the punishment of the crime of robbery. The amendment **provides** that robbery of the third class is punishable by imprisonment in the State prison for life. See A. B. 713.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 715. MISS BROUGHTON.

New General Law. Grants to irrigation districts the right to construct, operate and maintain electric power lines along or upon any road, street, alley, avenue or highway, or across any railway, canal, ditch or flume. **Provides** that such irrigation district shall not use any street, etc., within any city for such purpose, unless the right to do so is granted by vote of the governing body of such city. **Provides** also that such grant of authority shall not be necessary where the route of such work by the irrigation district was located in territory not then within an organized city. The word "**irrigation**" in the title should be corrected.

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 716. MISS BROUGHTON. Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1732b.

Repeals **Sec. 3b** of the **Act of 1913**, relating to the legalizing of irrigation district bonds, which provides that no expenditures shall be made by irrigation districts from any bond issue until approved by the California Bond Commission.

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 717. SMITH.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2331b.

Amends the Motor Vehicle Act of 1915.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

A. B. 718. LYON.

New General Law, relating to fire and lightning insurance. **Provides** for the establishment of public rating bureaus for the purpose of inspecting and surveying the various municipalities and fire hazards in this state. **Provides** that business shall be conducted without profit, except that fair and reasonable compensation may be charged for services actually done and necessary to the business. **Provides** for filing of rates in the office of the Insurance Commissioner and that such service shall be available to all insurance companies. **Provides** that the Insurance Commissioner may determine whether rates of insurance fixed by the bureau or insurance company, are discriminatory. **Provides** for a review of the findings of the Insurance Commissioner in the courts of this state. **Provides** that such bureau or insurance company shall not establish rates which discriminate against hazard or loss or damage by fire or lightning in different localities, under similar conditions. **Prohibits** the discrimination in rates where the physical, climatic or other hazard and degree of protection against fire are the same. **Provides** for assignment by such rating bureau of a chief examiner and prescribes his duty with reference to the examining and approval of rates by insurance companies. **Provides** that fire insurance companies or their insurer against hazard or loss by a fire or lightning must file rating schedules with the Insurance Commissioner before being permitted to transact business. **Provides** that companies can deviate from such rate upon giving notice to the bureau and Insurance Commissioner. **Provides** for furnishing copy of survey of risk to owner of property on request. **Requires** that such insurance company must file list of rates of commissions to be paid, with the Insurance Commissioner. Makes violation of act by insurer punishable by fine of not less than \$100 or more than \$1,000 to be recovered in action brought by the Insurance Commissioner. Makes violation by agent or representative of insurer a misdemeanor and punishable by fine of not less than \$20 or more than \$200 and cost and to be committed to the county jail for not more than 30 days until such fine and costs are paid. **Provides** for a revocation of the license of such agent or representative and makes it unlawful for any insurer to pay, either directly or indirectly, the fine assessed against any of its agents or other representatives. **Repeals** all acts in conflict.

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 719. KLINE.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 688.

Amends Sec. 35 of the Conservancy District Act of 1919. The amendment provides that in conservation districts, boards of supervisors may levy on the assessable property in such district a tax not

to exceed three mills on each \$1 of assessed valuation for the purposes of such conservation district. Sec. 2 makes this an urgency measure within the meaning of the constitution.

To Committee on Conservation.

A. B. 720. COOMBS.

Amends Sec. 1281 of the Civil Code, relating to wills. The amendment **provides** that no clause in a will providing for a forfeiture of any devise or legacy in case of a contest shall be valid as against the **wife or lineal heirs** of the decedent.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 721. LYMAN.

Amends Sec. 4041 of the Pol. Code, relating to the general powers of boards of supervisors.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 722. LYMAN.

Adds Sec. 4089 to the Pol. Code. **Provides** that the board of supervisors of a county may by ordinance adopted by a two-thirds vote of all such members at any time after two years after the date of any bond election **cancel** any bonds remaining unsold and provides that upon the passage of such ordinance the power and authority to issue the bonds remaining unissued and unsold shall cease and the remaining unsold bonds described in such ordinance shall become void.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 723. STOW.

Adds Sec. 1607a to the Pol. Code. **Provides** for the publication of the financial conditions of city boards of education. **Provides** such report shall include the receipts and disbursements by such city board of education. Also **provides** that the city board of education shall annually publish the course of study to be used in said school. **Provides** that where only slight changes are made in the course of study the same need not be published in full, but a supplemental list containing such change shall be printed annually.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 724. MORRIS.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 2799.

Repeals the act establishing the State Home for Delinquent Women.

To Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

A. B. 725. MORRIS.

Amends Sec. 1444 of the C. C. P., relating to appraisers of estates. Eliminates from the present section the words "clerk or deputy nor any", in line 22 of the printed bill, following the word "No". The probable effect of this amendment is to make it possible for a county clerk or deputy county clerk to act as an appraiser in an estate.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 726. MORRIS.

New General Law. Transfers all the functions of the State Immigration and Housing Commission to the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 727. MORRIS.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 420.

Amends Act of 1881, relating to bridges over streams, etc.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

A. B. 728. MORRIS.

Amends Sec. 2466 of the Civil Code, relating to the use of fictitious names. The amendment provides that the affidavit of the publisher showing the publication of such certificate of a person or partnership transacting business under a fictitious name must be filed with the county clerk within ten days after the completion of such publication.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 729. HAWES, MITCHELL, BURNS, SCHMIDT, HORN-BLOWER, FELLOM, ERB, SCOTT, MORRISON, MORRIS, ROSENSHINE, ROCK, BADARACCO, AND EKSWARD.

New General Law. Provides for the organization of development districts by two or more counties of this state which shall be contiguous to one another. Provides that such district shall form and constitute a public corporation, but limits the functions of government to the exercise by such district, of such functions and activities as shall be reasonably necessary and convenient to fulfill the purposes for which such district is formed. Provides the method for holding special election for the purpose of organizing said district. Provides for the necessary and proper signatures to be obtained for the calling of such election. Provides for the publication of the notice of such hearing of such petition. Provides for a determination by the board of supervisors as to the public necessity for the formation of such district. Provides for the necessary notice of such election to be published. Provides for the appointment of commissioners of said district and prescribes the powers of such district. Provides

for the issuance of bonds and the calling of elections to determine whether said bonds shall be issued or not. **Provides** for the retirement of such bonds. **Provides** for levying of special assessment on property in such district and for the collection of the same. **Provides** for the method of transacting business by the commissioners appointed under the act and their powers and duties. **Provides** for local improvement upon petition by certain number of freeholders in such district. **Provides** such bonds shall be legal investments for banks, etc., but prohibits the investment by such banks, etc., of more than 5 per cent of its assets on any one issue. **Provides** a method and procedure for acquiring additional territory to said district and for the dissolution of such district. **Provides** that any notices required may be published in a newspaper, but if no newspaper is published in the county then by posting in the manner required in the act and such posting shall be considered sufficient for the purposes of the act. **Provides** that this act shall be an alternative and concurrent method of forming and organizing such a district and shall not repeal, amend, or modify any law heretofore enacted providing for such organization.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 730. HORNBLOWER.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 4033a.

Repeals the Criminal Syndicalism and Sabotage Act of 1919.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 731. FELLOM.

Amends Secs. 3664a, 3664b, 3664c, 3664d of the Pol. Code, relating to taxation of public service and other corporations for State purposes. The amendment to Sec. 3664a increases the present taxation of railroad companies from seven per cent to 7.7 per cent. Increases the tax on companies doing express business or any railroad, steamboat, vessel or stage line from 1 per cent to 1.1 per cent. Increases the taxation on telegraph and telephone companies from $5\frac{1}{2}$ per cent to $6\frac{1}{20}$ per cent. Increases the taxation on gas and electric companies from $7\frac{1}{2}$ per cent to $8\frac{1}{4}$ per cent. Provides that in case the courts decide that the Legislature is without power to fix a different percentage upon the gross receipts from operation of street railways than the percentage fixed herein for railroad companies, then the percentage upon the gross receipts from the operation of street railways is increased from 7 per cent to 7.7 per cent. The amendment to Sec. 3664b increases the rate of taxation on insurance companies or associations from 2.60 to 2.86 per cent and allows a reduction from such tax rate of 2.86 per cent the amount of any county and municipality taxes paid by such company on real estate owned by them in this State. The amendment to Sec. 3664c increases the tax on the shares of the capital stock of all banks from 1.45 per cent to 1.60 per cent. The amendment to Sec. 3664d increases the rate of taxation on the franchises from 1.60 per cent to 1.80 per cent.

Sec. 7 of this act makes the same an urgency measure.

Note. The sections amended are the same as the so-called "King Bill" of the 1921 session of the Legislature.

To Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

A. B. 732. KLINE.

New General Law. Permits the directors of the Southern California Fair Association to hold different fairs at the city of Riverside at such times during the year as the directors may appoint.

To Committee on Agriculture.

A. B. 733. BERNARD.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 4322.

Amends Secs. 2, 15 and 16 of the California Warehouse Act of 1921. The amendment to Sec. 2 **adds** the following: "Or any by-products thereof, and other agricultural products customarily handled in warehouses", lines 10 and 11, page 1 of the printed bill. **Defines** the term "fungible products" to mean grain, rice, beans, or other agricultural products handled in bulk and shall not include these products when handled in sacks.

The amendment to Sec. 15 **provides** that all fungible agricultural products stored in intrastate commerce in a licensed warehouse shall be inspected and graded by a person duly licensed to grade the same under this act.

The amendment to Sec. 16 **permits** the mingling of fungible agricultural products of different grades upon written order of the owner or his agent and the surrender of the warehouse receipt.

To Committee on Agriculture.

A. B. 734. BERNARD.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1389.

Amends Secs. 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9 of the California Grain Standardization Act of 1921.

The amendment to Sec. 3 **eliminates** the words "corn, maize, wheat, rice, oats, barley, grain sorghum, and beans" following the word "grain", line 5, page 1, of the printed bill, and **substitutes** the phrase "and other agricultural products."

Subdivision **b** **eliminates** from the present section the word "grade" and adds the words "inspecting and weighing."

Subdivision **c** **adds** the words "and weighing agricultural products."

The amendment to Sec. 4 **adds** the words "and weighing of agricultural products", lines 26 and 27, page 1, and **eliminates** the test weight per bushel and the reason for all grades below number one being specified in such certificate. **Eliminates** from the present section the provision that certificates issued by the authorized agent of the department of agriculture shall be received in evidence in all courts of the State of California as prima facie evidence of the truth of the statements taken therein at the time of the issuance of said certificate and for sixty days thereafter and **provides** that the Director of Agriculture shall inspect and/or weigh upon request all agricultural products and issue a uniform certificate stating the kind, grade below number one and such other facts as he may require and provides that such certificate shall be received in all courts as prima facie evidence without limitation as to time, lines 1 to 11, page 2.

The amendment to Sec. 5 **eliminates** from the present section the provision that the Director of Agriculture may appoint any person as an inspector under the provisions of this act eligible for a license under the United States Grain Standardization Act and **adds** that no officer or employee of the Department of Agriculture engaged in the inspecting or weighing of agricultural products shall be interested in any grain warehouse or elevator or employed by any person, firm, or corporation owning or operating any grain warehouse or elevator or handling agricultural products.

Practically all of Sec. 7 is new matter and provides for the fixing and establishment of standards under this act for grain and other agricultural products and prohibits the shipment or delivery for shipment of any agricultural products in intrastate commerce unless the same shall have been inspected and graded by an inspector licensed under this act, and shall not be so shipped or delivered unless the same shall be of one of the grades fixed therefor in the official standards of the State of California. **Permits** the sale or assignment for sale or delivery for shipment in intrastate commerce any such grain or agricultural products by sample or by type or under any other name, description or designation which is not false or misleading and which name, description or designation does not include in whole or in part the terms of any official standards of the State of California. **Provides** that such grain or agricultural products may be sold, offered for sale or consigned for shipment or delivered for shipment in intrastate commerce without inspection at point of shipment by an inspector licensed under this act, to or through any place at which an inspector licensed under this act is located, subject to be inspected by a licensed inspector at the place to which shipped or at some convenient place through which shipped for inspection and provides that any such grain or agricultural products sold or consigned for sale by any of the grades fixed therefor in the official standards may, upon compliance with the rules and regulations prescribed by the Director of Agriculture, be shipped in intrastate commerce without inspection from a place from which there is no inspector licensed under this act to a place at which there is no such inspector, subject to the right of either party to the transaction to refer any dispute as to the grade of the agricultural products to the Director of Agriculture who may determine the true grade thereof.

Sec. 8 is revamped and the provisions of Sec. 9 are incorporated therein. There is eliminated from the present Sec. 9 the following, after the word "prescribe", in line 8, page 4 of the printed bill: "Provided, also, that any buyer of grain buying under the standards and grades of this act shall be entitled to appeal from any inspection or grading made under the provisions of this act at any time within five days of the transfer or delivery to said buyer by any seller of any certain issue under the provisions of this act and regulations of any movement of said grain."

Sec. 6 of this bill attempts to renumber 10 to 16, both inclusive, of the act. It is doubtful if this can be done in this manner.

To Committee on Agriculture.

A. B. 735. BERNARD.

Appropriates \$13,000 to complete the equipment and the installation of the elevator in the dairy building at the Davis Farm.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

A. B. 736. STOW.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 7sh.

Adds Sec. 7a to the Agricultural Seed Act of 1921. Permits the Director of Agriculture to seize and hold any lot of agricultural seed or mixture or special mixture of agricultural seed found to have been sold, offered or exposed for sale in this State or shipped into the State which has not been labeled according to the provisions of this act, or if shipped by a wholesale or retail dealer from without the State who has not been licensed as provided in this act, until the law has been complied with, or such violation has been otherwise legally disposed of to the satisfaction of the Director of Agriculture. **Provides** that the seed may be moved, cleaned, tested or otherwise disposed of only in accordance with and subject to any regulations of the Director of Agriculture. **Provides** that such seizure and holding shall be at the expense of the person, firm, or corporation, owner or owners, agent or agents, owning or controlling such seeds. **Provides** that a violation of these provisions shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$500 or by imprisonment in the county jail for not exceeding more than six months or both and for a second and subsequent violation a fine shall be imposed which shall not be less than \$100.

To Committee on Agriculture.

A. B. 737. STOW.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 7sh.

Adds Sec. 4a to the Agricultural Seed Act of 1921. Defines wholesale dealer as any person, firm, or corporation who sells to any seedman, agent, jobber, broker, importer, person, firm, or corporation engaged in the distribution of any agricultural seed, mixture or special mixture of the same. **Defines** retail dealer as any person, firm, or corporation who sells, offers for sale, or exposes for sale any agricultural seed mixture, or special mixture, direct to the consumer or his agent. **Provides** for the procuring by every seedsmen, agent, jobber, importer, person, firm, or corporation who sells, offers or exposes for sale any agricultural seed, mixture or special mixture or materials used for seedling purposes, a license from the Director of Agriculture. **Specifies** a fee of \$100 for such persons doing a wholesale business and \$10 for those doing a strictly retail business. **Provides** that branch houses of wholesale and retail dealers operating more than one establishment shall pay an additional fee of \$5 for each branch house. **Appropriates** the sum of \$----- to carry out the provisions of this act. **Makes** violation a misdemeanor and fixes the punishment by a fine of not more than \$500 or by imprisonment of not more than six months or both and provides for a second or subsequent offense a fine of not less than \$100.

To Committee on Agriculture.

A. B. 738. DUVAL.

New General Law. Places all automobiles used for transportation purposes for hire under the jurisdiction of the Railroad Commission and provides for the regulation of such automobiles thereunder, defines certain terms and provides for the collection of an excise tax; provides for the disposition of such tax for highway maintenance. The word "operated", in line 47, page 3, of the printed bill, should be corrected.

A. B. 739. EDWIN BAKER.

Amends Secs. 78 and 90 of the Pol. Code, relating to the division of the State into legislative districts and **repeals** all acts in conflict. Divides the State of California into Senatorial and Assembly districts.

To Committee on Reapportionment.

A. B. 740. A. G. MITCHELL.

Appropriates \$3,000 for the purpose of preventing forest fires and the construction and maintenance of fire trails and fire breaks in the San Dimas Canyon, in the San Gabriel Mountains. This appropriation is **conditional** upon the deposit of a like sum of \$3,000 by the San Dimas Fruit Exchange, the county of Los Angeles, or by any individual or corporation, or by any or all of them. Said money to be expended under the direction of the State Forester.

To Committee on Conservation.

A. B. 741. A. G. MITCHELL.

Appropriates \$1,400 for the purpose of preventing forest fires and the construction and maintenance of fire trails and fire breaks in the San Gabriel Canyon in the San Gabriel Mountains. This appropriation is **conditional** upon the deposit of a like sum by the Azusa Irrigation Company, The Covina Irrigation Company, the county of Los Angeles, or by any individual or corporation, or by any of them. The money herein appropriated shall be expended under the direction of the State Forester.

To Committee on Conservation.

A. B. 742. A. G. MITCHELL.

Amends Sec. 1610 of the Pol. Code, relating to lunch rooms in public schools. **Adds** subdivision 7 which permits boards of school trustees and city boards of education to establish and maintain school lunch rooms in any school district. Said lunch to be sold to the pupils at the actual cost of the food. Said lunch room to be under the supervision of the domestic science department of the school. **Provides** that in districts where there is no domestic science department other suitable provision must be made to carry out the provisions of this subdivision. **Provides** that the establishment and maintenance of

such lunch rooms and the cost of the initial stock of food supplies shall be paid from the general school fund of the district and be refunded to said fund when the lunch room ceases to operate.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 743. REINDOLLAR.

Amends Sec. 1608 of the Pol. Code, relating to the powers and duties of boards of school trustees and boards of education. Amends subdivision 4 by eliminating from the present section the words "when directed by vote of their district", lines 10 and 11, page 2 of the printed bill, and grants to the school trustees or boards of education the power without a vote of the district to buy or sell school sites or buildings, to build new schools, to make alterations to old buildings; to employ architects to make plans for all new buildings, and for alterations, which may cost over \$500; to fix an order to pay the compensation of any architect employed. In line 21, page 1 of the printed bill, the word "insolvent" should be amended to read "solvent".

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 744. REINDOLLAR.

New General Law. Abandons and relinquishes all and any claims to portions of streets in the town of Sausalito and provides for the reversion or reversion thereof to the abutting property owners. Question, is this special legislation?

To Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

A. B. 745. REINDOLLAR.

New General Law. Ratifies and confirms certain ordinances of the city of Sausalito relating to the abandonment and closing of certain streets therein. Question, is this special legislation?

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 746. REINDOLLAR.

Amends Sec. 1612 of the Pol. Code, relating to powers and duties of school trustees and boards of education. Completely changes the wording of the present section. Provides that boards of school trustees and boards of education shall have power to order and purchase necessary supplies for actual class room work; to provide for janitor work, proper sanitation, ventilation and heating of school buildings, classrooms, libraries and offices contained in such building and used for school purposes. Provides that no one unless authorized by the governing body at a regular or special meeting shall order supplies and any person unauthorized who orders supplies becomes personally responsible for the indebtedness so incurred. Provides that all work

to be done, such as new buildings, improving ground, making alterations in old buildings amounting to over \$500 shall be let to the lowest bidder after advertising for bids. Grants the governing board the right to reject all bids and advertise again or let the work by piece contract or have it done by day labor.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 747. C. C. BAKER.

Amends Sec. 4272 of the Pol. Code. San Benito County Government Act.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 748. CRITTENDEN.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2886.

Amends Sec. 52 of the Railroad Commission Act of 1915. Adds new subdivision (i) to said section and provides that for the purposes of this section a public utility shall be deemed to include all public utilities as the same are defined in Sec. 2 of this act and also all corporations which are authorized by their articles of incorporation to engage in any activity or business defined or described in Sec. 2.

To Committee on Public Utilities.

A. B. 749. CRITTENDEN.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2331d.

Amends Sec. 5 of the Jitney Bus Act of 1917. Adds new paragraph to this section which provides that each application for a certificate of public convenience and necessity or for an order authorizing the sale, leasing, assignment or transfer of an existing operative right, privilege, franchise or permit made under the provisions of this section must be accompanied by a fee of \$50, lines 16 to 20, page 2 of the printed bill.

To Committee on Public Utilities.

A. B. 750. WRIGHT.

Amends Sec. 2653 of the Pol. Code. Increases the property tax for highway purposes from 40 cents to 80 cents upon each \$100 of assessable property in any one year.

To Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

A. B. 751. WRIGHT.

Amends Sec. 4043 of the Pol. Code, relating to protection of highways for damage by floods. This bill eliminates from the present section the following phrase: "or out of the general funds of the county", line 14, page 1 of the printed bill. The probable effect of this amendment is to make such expenses payable out of the general

road fund or out of the fund or funds of the road district or districts which were protected by the work done.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 752. WRIGHT.

Amends Sec. 2646 of the Pol. Code, relating to highways. Eliminates from the present section the phrase: "to be paid out of the general fund of the county", after the word "repair", in line 21, page 1, and also the following: "at the option of the board of supervisors expressed by resolution the provisions of this section shall apply to such highways of the county as may be specified in such resolution, constructed or improved, under the provisions of subdivision 10 of section 2643 of the Pol. Code and paid for out of the general funds of said county", after the word "advisable", in line 27, page 1. The probable effect of this bill is to make road funds payable out of the general road fund or the district fund of the district or districts benefited.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 753. WRIGHT.

Amends Secs. 2639 and 2640 of the Pol. Code, relating to powers and duties of boards of supervisors over the roads and highways of the county. Eliminates from subdivision 4 of Sec. 2639 the phrase "or the general fund of the county", at the end of line 18, page 2. Also eliminates the same phrase from subdivisions 10 and 11 of said section. Also eliminates the same phrase from Sec. 2640. Probable effect of this bill is to make the road funds payable out of the general road fund of the district or districts benefited.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 754. WRIGHT.

Amends Sec. 4041 of the Pol. Code, relating to general powers of boards of supervisors. Amends subdivision 38 of said section by increasing the special road district fund tax from 2 mills on the \$1 of assessed valuation to 8 mills and the addition of the provision that no moneys raised by taxation upon property located in an incorporated city or town other than a city and county shall be expended either directly or indirectly for road or road district purposes nor for the purchase, condemnation, construction, paving, repair, maintenance, sprinkling or oiling any road, highway, boulevard, turnpike, public way or bridge, or for the purchase, condemnation, construction, repair or maintenance of any apparatus, machinery or real or personal property, intended to be used, or for any road or road district purpose or for the construction, paving, repair, maintenance, sprinkling or oiling of any road, highway, boulevard, turnpike, public way or bridge.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 755. McPHERSON.

Appropriates \$200,000 for the construction and maintenance of any and all uncompleted portions of the State highway located in Solano County extending in a general **easterly direction** from Rio Vista to Fairfield.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 756. WHITACRE.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 61.

Amends Sec. 9 and adds Secs. 9a, 9b, 9c, 9d, 9e, 9f, 9g and 9h to the Real Estate Commission Act of 1919. The amendment to Sec. 9 **provides** for the appointment of a Board of Real Estate Examiners to consist of three members to be appointed by the Governor who shall have been regularly engaged in real estate business in the State for at least **eight** years prior to his appointment. The members shall be appointed from persons who hold a real estate broker's license under the Real Estate Commissioner of the State. **Provides** for the filling of vacancies by the Governor. **Prescribes** the term of office to be three years **provided** that of the first board appointed one member shall be appointed for one year, one for two years and one for three years.

Sees. 9a to 9h, both inclusive, **provide** the procedure for the regulation and government of the Board of Real Estate Examiners. The amendment to the act contemplates the licensing of real estate brokers by **examination**. Under the present act no examination is required. A fee of \$25 is exacted for the license under the new amendments. An **exception** is made in the case of brokers who have been regularly licensed under the present act and who have regularly engaged in the real estate business as brokers since August 1, 1922.

The bill **repeals** all acts and parts of acts in conflict.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 757. DAVIS.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2331d.

Amends the title and adds Sec. 5a to the Jitney Bus Act of 1917. The title is amended by rearrangement and the omission of the words "and counties" following the word "counties", in line 15, page 2 of the printed bill, and the following matter after the word "stages", in line 17, page 2, "empowering incorporated cities and towns, cities and counties, and counties to enact ordinances for the supervision and regulation of automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages, and providing penalties for the violation of such ordinances".

Sec. 5, which is **added**, requires that a permit be required **only** when the applicant desires to traverse highways other than State highways; requires the applicant to state name and address, route with fixed termini; kind of transportation to be engaged in and description of equipment; time schedule and tariff schedule. After notice, permit may be granted and must contain certain detailed

information. Permits granted cannot be assigned without consent of granting authority.

To Committee on Public Utilities.

A. B. 758. DAVIS.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 4043.

Amends Secs. 1 to 8, inclusive, and adds Sec. 8b to the **Municipal Corporation Consolidation Tax Act of 1895**. The amendment to Sec. 1 adds the following or equivalent term in lines 2, 3 and 4, 27 and 28, 44 and 45, page 2; 3 and 4, 14 and 15, 22 and 23, 36 and 37, 47 and 48, page 3, and 2 and 3, page 5, "or governing body, or by resolution of the board of directors in a municipal corporation other than a city". Also adds the phrase "or resolution" after the word "ordinance", in line 26, page 2.

In Sec. 2 the same words and phrases are added and there is eliminated from said Sec. 2 the following: after the word "situated", "until such ordinance is repealed", line 20, page 2 of the printed bill.

In Sec. 5 the words "or district tax, district of ----- (naming it) as the case may be" are inserted in the form to be used in the assessment book by the auditor. The words "municipal corporation," in line 30, page 4 of the printed bill, are inserted before the words "or city" and the words "or resolution", are added after the word "ordinance", line 31, page 4, of the bill.

Sec. 6 adds the words "and county treasurer" after the words "tax collector", lines 39 and 40, page 4, and the words "and disbursing" after the word "collecting", line 42, page 4 of the bill. **Increases** the amount that may be collected from $\frac{1}{4}$ to $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent of all amounts collected after the first \$25,000 has been so collected.

Sec. 8 revamped and restores the section as it stood in 1915, with the addition of the words "or city" after "municipal corporation", line 4, page 5, and the words "or resolution" after the word "ordinance", lines 21, 26, 27, 28 and 31, page 5.

Sec. 8b provides that municipal corporations for the purpose of this act are defined as any city, municipality, irrigation, drainage or special district or any other corporation which now exists or may hereafter be organized under the laws of the State of California which involves the levy, assessment and collection of taxes by such municipal corporation.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 759. MISS MILLER.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 4414.

Amends the Act of 1917, authorizing the board of trustees of the Whittier State School to maintain a department for the clinical diagnosis of inmates of the school and other State institutions and to inquire into the causes and consequences of delinquency and mental deficiency, and related problems.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 760. MISS MILLER.

New General Law. Transfers the duties, powers, purposes, responsibilities and jurisdiction of the Whittier State School and of the California Bureau of Juvenile Research to the Department of Education to be part of the Division of Normal and Special Schools or the Division of Teachers Colleges or Special Schools. Now under Department of Institutions.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 761. MISS MILLER.

Amends Secs. 366c and 366d of the Pol. Code, relating to Department of Institutions. Removes the Whittier State School from the jurisdiction of the Department of Institutions.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 762. MISS MILLER.

Amends Secs. 362a, 362b and 362c of the Pol. Code, relating to the Department of Education. Places the Whittier State School under the control and jurisdiction of the Department of Education.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 763. DONOHUE.

Amends Sec. 632 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish. Adds, on page 2, line 14, of the printed bill, the following: "provides that in Fish and Game Districts 2 and 2½ it shall be unlawful to take, catch, or kill any trout, by spear or gig". In line 23, page 2 of the printed bill, substitutes 50 trout for 25 trout and 12 pounds for 10 pounds.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 764. DONOHUE.

Amends Sec. 626j of the Penal Code, relating to the running of deer by dogs. Adds the following to the present section: "every person who owning or controlling or having in his possession any dogs, suffers, permits or allows any of said dogs to run, track or trail any deer during the closed season is guilty of a misdemeanor".

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 765. DONOHUE.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1340d.

Adds Sec. 4 to the Fish and Game Preservation Fund Act of 1909. Provides there shall be transferred from said fund one-fourth of all money obtained from hunting licenses, to be paid into the game bounty fund. From said last mentioned fund is to be paid all statu-

tory bounty allowed and payable for the destruction of predatory wild animals.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 766. DONOHUE.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1340j.

Amends Sec. 1 of the Act of 1917, relating to fur bearing mammals. **Adds** after the words "fur bearing mammals", lines 9 and 10, the words "except in Fish and Game District 2, 3 and 4", also after the word "misdemeanor", in line 11, the words "provided that in Districts 2, 3 and 4 any person who traps, hunts, takes or kills any brown or black bear between the last day of February and the fifteenth day of October, of any year, is guilty of a misdemeanor". The **probable effect** of this bill is to permit the hunting and trapping of fur bearing mammals in Fish and Game Districts 2, 3 and 4 at any time and create a season on brown or black bear in Districts 2, 3 and 4.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 767. DONOHUE.

Amends Sec. 626f of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of deer. The amendment adds the words "the 15th day of September" (line 4) in lieu of the "31st day of August". The **probable effect** is to shorten the deer season.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 768. DONOHUE.

Adds Sec. 636d to the Penal Code. Prohibits the taking or killing of any fish in any lake or stream with hook and line upon which there are more than three hooks. Violation is a misdemeanor.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 769. MORRIS. Deer. Gen. L. No. 29, and p. 722, Penal Code.

Amends the Pure Food and Drug Act of 1907. This is a companion bill to S. B. 430. For digest, see said Senate bill.

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

A. B. 770. DONOHUE.

New General Law. Sec. 1 provides that there shall be paid by the State the following bounties on animals that are killed within the State: Coyote or coyote pup, \$3.50; gray wolf or black wolf, \$3.50; gray wolf pup or black wolf pup, timber wolf or timber wolf pup, \$3.50; bobcat, wild cat or lynx, \$3; for each skunk, weasel or rac-

coon, \$0.50; for each mountain lion, panther or cougar, \$25; for each California gray fox, \$2. **Sec. 2** provides that every person, within 90 days after the killing of the animals mentioned in Sec. 1 shall present to the county clerk or justice of the peace of the county in which the animal was killed the entire skin, which skin must have attached thereto all four of the paws, tail, skin of the entire head including both ears thereof, eye holes and skin to the tip of the nose. Such person shall file an affidavit stating certain detailed information. In addition there shall be attached a corroborating affidavit of a resident taxpayer of said county. The county clerk may, if he deems advisable, require other corroborated testimony concerning the truth of the statements set forth in the affidavits. **Sec. 3** provides for the examination of the skins by the county clerk, and for return of the skins by him to the applicant and the issuance to the applicant of a certificate. Such certificate must be presented to the State Controller who shall draw his warrant for such bounty payable out of the game bounty fund. **Sec. 4** prescribes that the county clerk shall each month transmit a written statement to the State Controller. **Sec. 5** provides that each county clerk shall keep a bounty record book containing all data required by this act. **Sec. 6** directs that the Secretary of State shall provide each county clerk with the necessary books and blanks for the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of this act. **Sec. 7** provides that the State Treasurer shall pay all warrants drawn on him under the provisions of this act from the game bounty fund. **Sec. 8** provides that no charge shall be made by any county officer in this State for any services performed under the provisions of this act. **Sec. 9** provides that any person making a false claim or statement in any affidavit required by this act shall be guilty of perjury. **Sec. 10** provides further penalties. **Sec. 11** appropriates \$80,000 out of the game bounty fund for the purposes of this act. **Sec. 12** repeals all acts in conflict, but permits counties to offer and pay additional bounties for the killing of any of the wild animals mentioned in Sec. 1 of this act. **Sec. 13** makes the seal a predatory animal and fixes the bounty at \$2.50.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 771. FULWIDER.

Appropriates \$8,000 for the erection of a new garage at the Sonoma State Home.

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

A. B. 772. FULWIDER.

Appropriates \$3,000 for the alteration of the second floor of Madrone building for industrial building at the Sonoma State Home. The word "Madron" should be changed to "Madrone".

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

A. B. 773. FULWIDER.

Appropriates \$10,000 for improvements to roads and grounds at the Sonoma State Home.

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

A. B. 774. BURNS, CARLSON, CHRISTIAN, CLEVELAND, DAWSON, DONOHUE, DOZIER, EMME, FOX, LYMAN, McDOWELL, McPHERSON, MITCHELL, MUELLER, POMEROY, SCHMIDT, SNYDER, SPENCE, WELLER, WHITACRE, AND WILLIAMS.

Amends Sec. 10 and repeals Sec. 11 of the C. C. P., relating to holidays. Adds to the holidays specified in Sec. 10, the eleventh day of November, to be known as Armistice Day, and adds that the public schools shall be closed on the ninth day of September. This section is amended to conform to Sec. 10 of the Pol. Code.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 775. DEAN.

Amends Secs. 1327, 1328, 1333, 1491, 1658 and 1664 of the C. C. P., relating to procedure in probate matters. The amendment to Sec. 1327 reduces the time for contest of a will from one year to six months. The amendment to Sec. 1328 reduces the time for issuing citation upon contest of a will from one year to six months. The amendment to Sec. 1333 reduces the time from one year to six months in which the will shall be deemed conclusive unless a contest is brought and reduces the period of disability of infants and persons of unsound mind from one year to six months after their respective disabilities are removed in which to contest the probate of the will. The amendment to Sec. 1491 provides that the time expressed in the notice to creditors must be six months after its first publication and eliminates from the present section the words "ten months" and also "when the estate exceeds in value the sum of \$10,000 and four months when it does not", lines 5 and 6, page 2 of the printed bill. The amendment to Sec. 1658 increases the time in which an heir, legatee or devisee or his assignee, grantee, or successor in interest may petition for partial distribution from four months to six months. The amendment to Sec. 1664 reduces the time for a petition to determine heirship from one year to six months and reduces the time for service by an heir of an order to show cause to all persons interested in said estate to appear and show cause on a day to be therein named not less than thirty days nor over two months from the making of such order. The present time specified in this section is a day not less than sixty days nor over four months from the date of the making of such order.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 776. SPALDING.

Amends Secs. 1830 and 1880 of the Pol. Code, relating to school taxes and public school bonds. The amendment to Sec. 1830 grants additional power to board of school trustees of any district to call an election for the purpose of issuing bonds for improving school grounds, for building sidewalks, or for grading and paving streets in front of real property owned by the school districts. The amendment to Sec. 1880 grants the same power to boards of trustees, boards of education or other governing body of any school district.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 777. MOORE.

Amends Sec. 634 of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 778. SAME AUTHORS AS A. B. 774.

Amends Sec. 3366 of the Pol. Code, relating to taxation.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

A. B. 779. SAME AUTHORS AS A. B. 774. Deer. Gen. L. No. 3700a.

Amends the California Veterans' Educational Institute Act of 1921.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs.

A. B. 780. SAME AUTHORS AS A. B. 774. Deer. Gen. L. No. 606.

Amends Secs. 26 and 27 of the Civil Service Act of 1913.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Civil Service.

A. B. 781. SAME AUTHORS AS A. B. 774. Deer. Gen. L. No. 3700b.

Amends Sec. 1 of the Veterans' Welfare Act of 1921.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs.

A. B. 782. SAME AUTHORS AS A. B. 774.

Amends Sec. 4041f of the Pol. Code, relating to meeting places of veterans.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs.

A. B. 783. SAME AUTHORS AS A. B. 774.

Amends Sec. 7 of the Civil Code, relating to holidays. Adds to the holidays specified in said section the eleventh day of November and provides that the schools of the State shall close on the ninth day of September and also that all public offices of the State and all State institutions, including the State University and all public schools in the State, shall be closed on the ninth day of September in each year known as Admission Day.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 784. SAME AUTHORS AS A. B. 774. Deer. Gen. L. No. 3700.

Amends the Veterans' Bond Act of 1921.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs.

A. B. 785. SAME AUTHORS AS A. B. 774.

Adds title XIb to part IV of division I of the Civil Code, embracing Secs. 592m to 592n, relating to patriotic societies. Sec. 592m provides that 25 or more honorably discharged soldiers or sailors of the Union army or navy or 25 or more honorably discharged soldiers or sailors or marines of the United States who served in the Spanish War or Philippine War or 25 or more soldiers, sailors or marines of the United States who served as such in the World War and who are either now in the military or naval service of the United States or who have been honorably discharged therefrom may incorporate themselves for social, literary, patriotic and historical purposes. There are no other sections set out in the bill. Presumably it is a skeleton bill.

To Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs.

A. B. 786. SAME AUTHORS AS A. B. 774.

New General Law. Sec. 1 provides that it shall be the duty of the county assessor in each county in which a State land settlement or a settlement under the Veterans' Welfare Act has been established, to assess the estimated value of all property in each school district in which the State holds title for settlement purposes and of all prop-

erty which has been exempted on the claim of veterans under Sec. 11¼ of Art. XIII of the constitution, in the same manner and at the same time that the assessment of other property of the county has been made and to make a report thereof to the State Board of Equalization, together with a statement of the school district tax rate levied in each such district for the then current year. **Sec. 2 provides** that the State Board of Equalization shall review the estimates of the assessed valuation of such property and revise the same in such manner as it may deem equitable. The board shall compute the amount of district school funds that would have been paid to each district on account of real property owned by the State and on account of veterans' exemptions, at the rate of taxation for district school purposes, levied on the assessable property of such district during the then current year, if the real property owned by the State or property belonging to veterans which has been exempted had been subject to taxation for school purposes and shall report the amount for each such district to the State Controller on or before the first day in December of each year. **Sec. 3 makes** it the duty of the State Controller to draw his warrant on the State Treasurer in behalf of the county treasurer of the county in which the district is situated for the amount reported by the State Board of Equalization. **Sec. 4 provides** that all money received by any such school district shall be placed by the county treasurer immediately to the credit of the appropriate fund of the district.

To Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs.

A. B. 787. SAME AUTHORS AS A. B. 774. Deer. Gen. L. No. 3699.

Amends Sec. 2 of the Veterans' Farm and Home Purchase Act of 1921.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs.

A. B. 788. SAME AUTHORS AS A. B. 774.

Amends Sec. 3898a of the Pol. Code, relating to the education of dependents of veterans.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs.

A. B. 789. SAME AUTHORS AS A. B. 774.

Amends Sec. 4295 of the Pol. Code, relating to official services and fees.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 790. EKSWARD AND NOYES.

Amends Secs. 4249a and 4250 of the Pol. Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of officials of San Mateo County. Sec. 4249a is the same as the section at the present time. Sec. 4250 relates to salaries of the different county officers of San Mateo County and is in skeleton form.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 791. NOYES.

Purports to validate the formation and organization of Joint Highway District No. 3 in Sutter County.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 792. MOORE.

Amends Sec. 626o of the Penal Code, relating to fishing from moving boats. This bill revamps the section and prohibits the shooting of any kind of wild duck from a launch or other boat propelled by steam, gasoline, naphtha, electricity or other power, while such launch or boat is in motion. Provides that in Fish and Game District 4 "A" every person who shoots at any kind of wild duck from any boat, except a sail boat or row boat is guilty of a misdemeanor. Provides further that in Fish and Game District 11½, 7 "A", 8 and 9 every person who shoots at any kind of wild duck, brant or goose from a scull boat except during shooting hours of Wednesday and Sunday of each week during the open season is guilty of a misdemeanor.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 793. MOORE.

Amends Sec. 626 of the Penal Code, relating to protection of game. Changes the season of valley and mountain quail in Fish and Game District 11½. Substitutes for the sixteenth day of December in the present section the sixteenth day of January and substitutes for the fourteenth day of October the fourteenth day of November; lines 2 and 3, page 2 of the printed bill.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 794. MOORE.

Amends Sec. 632 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish. Amends the sixth paragraph of the present section by eliminating therefrom the provision that in District 11½ five trout may be caught regardless of weight during any one calendar day between November 1 and December 31 of the same year, both dates inclusive (line 22, page 2 of the printed bill), and adds thereto "that in Fish and Game District 11½ it shall be lawful to take, catch, kill or have in

possession not more than five trout regardless of weight during any one calendar day between November 1 of any year and February 15 of the following year, both dates inclusive," lines 26 to 31, inclusive, page 2.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 795. SCHMIDT.

Amends Sec. 1587 of the Penal Code, relating to prisoners. In the fifth subdivision the amendment increases the money to be furnished to the prisoner from \$5 to \$20. The printed bill shows that a number of phrases or words have been omitted and from a reading of the same no doubt railroad fare was intended to be placed in the present act. The words "his fare" should be inserted after the words "dollars", line 5, page 2 of the printed bill. The words "for transportation" should be added after the word "cost", in line 7, page 2 of the printed bill.

To Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

A. B. 796. SMITH.

Amends Sec. 4300a of the Pol. Code, relating to fees of county clerks.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 797. SMITH.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 922.

Amends Sec. 8 of the Dental Practice Act of 1915.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

A. B. 798. SMITH.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2574.

Amends Sec. 8 of the Optometry Act of 1913. Title defective. Approval date is not set forth. It should be June 16, 1903.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

A. B. 799. SMITH.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2164.

Amends Sec. 15 of the Medical Practice Act of 1913. Suggest amendment to title after the word "act", in line 14, add approved June 2, 1913.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

A. B. 800. SMITH.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2664.

Amends Sec. 9 of the Pharmacy Act of 1905. Suggest title be amended by adding after the word "pharmacy" approved March 20, 1905.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

A. B. 801. ROSENSHINE.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2143c.

Amends Sec. 9 of the Workmen's Compensation Act of 1917. Eliminates in the second paragraph, subdivision b, after the word "injury", line 5, page 4 of the printed bill, the words "no liability payment shall be recoverable for the first seven days of disability suffered" and insert in lieu thereof the words "compensation shall be paid for the first seven days at the time the first payment of compensation is made."

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 802. ROSENSHINE.

Appropriates \$----- to pay the claim of Schwabacher Frey Stationery Company against the State of California.

To Committee on Claims.

A. B. 803. BERNARD.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 3036a,
and Stats. 1919, p. 1092.

Amends the Sacramento-San Joaquin Drainage District Bond Act of 1919, which act relates to the issuance and sale of bonds of said district based upon assessments levied by the Reclamation Board upon lands in the district. The subject matter contained in Secs. 4 to 17, both inclusive, and Sec. 56 of the present act are eliminated by this amendment and the other matter is arranged in new order. There are two Secs. 35 in this bill. Sec. 3 provides a method of hearings to be held in that portion of the district affected by the assessment. Sec. 40 of this bill is probably defective and should be amended. Sec. 55 of the present law, which is apparently the same as Sec. 40 of the bill, reads as follows:

"No officer shall charge or receive any fee for any services required to be performed by him under the provisions of this act; but any reasonable and necessary expenses actually incurred by any officer in carrying out the provisions in this act relating in any manner to the collection or enforcement of any assessment, shall be paid out of the funds of said drainage district applicable thereto."

To Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

A. B. 804. SCOTT.

New General Law. The title states that the bill **provides** for an ad valorem tax on motor vehicle tires sold in the State of California.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

A. B. 805. BERNARD.

Appropriates \$40,000 to move, alter and improve the stock sheds and corrals at the Davis State Farm.

To Committee on Agriculture.

A. B. 806. ROSENSHINE.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 3586r.

Amends the Act of 1921, providing for fire prevention instruction in the public schools. **Adds** to the present law provisions for training in **accident prevention** in elementary, secondary and normal schools of this State and prescribes that such course of study shall be a part of the course of study and also a requirement for graduation.

Question. Is the title broad enough for the purposes of this amendment?

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 807. LYONS.

Amends Sec. 69 of the Civil Code, relating to marriage licenses. Adds a new subdivision fifth to this section which must appear on the licenses "5. The answers of the parties to the question are you in good health." Lines 11 and 12 of the printed bill.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 808. ERB.

Amends Sec. 791 of the Pol. Code, relating to notaries public. **Increases** the notaries public of counties of the second class (San Francisco) from 130 to 200. The number appearing in the bill does not refer to the proper section and instead of Sec. 1 the figures 791 should be inserted by amendment and a paragraph stating what section is amended.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 809. ERB.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 297.

Amends Sec. 9 of the Bank Act of 1909. **Adds** to the present section a provision that no branch office shall hereafter be established except by taking over, merging or consolidating, with an already existing institution as provided in Sees. 31, 31a and 31b of the Bank Act.

To Committee on Banking.

A. B. 810. HAWES.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1611b.

Amends Secs. 2, 3 and 3½ of the Child Labor Law of 1919. Sec. 2 is amended by substituting 6 o'clock in the place of 5 o'clock, and 9 o'clock instead of 10 o'clock.

Sec. 3 is amended by substituting 7 o'clock in the place of 6 o'clock, and 8 o'clock instead of 9 o'clock. Sec. 3½, which is added, states the age limit at which a boy can work at certain occupations as 10 years and at 18 for a girl.

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

A. B. 811. EMME.

New General Law. Sec. 1 purports to validate all proceedings for the formation and organization of any and all school districts heretofore had and taken for such organization and issuance of bonds. **Sec. 2** provides for the duties to be performed by officers relative to the assessment, levying and collection of taxes for the payment of principal and interest of the bonds of such school district or high school districts. **Sec. 3** provides that the act shall not operate to legalize any bonds which mature at a date more than 40 years from the time of their issuance, but legalizes or validates all bonds in excess of the limitation prescribed by law upon the bonded indebtedness of any district where at the time of taking effect of this act the total outstanding bonded indebtedness of such district does not exceed such debt limit.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 812. EMME.

New General Law. Purports to validate the organization of school districts by boards of supervisors of any county where such district has acted as a school district for a period of one year previous to the date of taking effect of this act.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 813. EMME.

New General Law. Purports to validate all proceedings changing of the boundary lines of any elementary or high school district by the boards of supervisors where such action was taken at least one year prior to the taking effect of this act and where, since such action was taken, a school district tax or high school district tax has been levied.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 814. EMME.

Amends Sec. 1190 of the C. C. P., relating to mechanics lien. The following phrase "and notice of the fact and of such credits be

filed in the office of the county recorder subsequent to the filing of such lien and prior to the expiration of said 90 day period", lines 8, 9 and 10 of the printed bill, is added by this amendment.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 815. EMME.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1607b.

Amends the title and the Industrial Farm or Road Camp Act of 1921.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 816. EMME.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 3928.

Amends Secs. 6 and 9 of the Street Opening Act of 1903. The amendment to Sec. 6 increases the additional time for bringing the condemnation action from 90 days to 180 days and adds the following "which ordinance may be adopted at any time either during said period of sixty days or said additional period of 180 days, or thereafter providing said action has been brought within said period of sixty days or said additional period of 180 days", lines 14 to 18, inclusive, page 1 of the printed bill.

The amendment to Sec. 9 increases the extension of time from 90 days to 180 days and adds the following: "which extension may be granted at any time either before or after the expiration of said period of 180 days", lines 18, 19, 20, page 2 of the printed bill.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 817. EMME.

New General Law. Providing for the formation, management, maintenance and dissolution of county fire protection districts, **Sec. 1 provides** that any portion of the county composed of unincorporated territory and not included in any other fire protection district may be formed into a county fire protection district. **Sec. 2 provides** that the supervisors may determine that a district is in need of fire protection and should be formed into a fire protection district. Provides that the board shall fix a time and place for the hearing and direct the clerk to publish a notice in a newspaper once a week for two weeks of such hearing, and that such notice shall describe the territory or exterior boundaries of the proposed district. **Sec. 3 provides** for hearing before the board of supervisors. Provides if a protest is filed that the board shall submit the question to the qualified electors of the proposed district and provides for the method of holding such election and the publication of such notice of election. **Sec. 4 provides** that the board of supervisors shall be the governing body of the district and shall have power to appoint such employees as may be necessary and to purchase fire fighting apparatus and to purchase fire hydrants and connect them with the mains of a water distributing company upon terms mutually agreed upon. **Sec. 5 permits**

the board of supervisors to levy a tax on the district to defray the cost of maintenance. **Sec. 6 provides** that the board of supervisors may dissolve a district upon petition of 50 or more freeholders and residents of said district or a majority of the freeholders and residents if there are less than 100 freeholders and residents in such district. **Provides** that the board of supervisors shall fix a time for the hearing of such petition not less than ten days nor more than 30 days after the receipt thereof and shall cause notice to be published at least once in a newspaper circulated in said district. **Provides** that the supervisors may grant or deny the petition and that its decision shall be final and conclusive. If the petition is granted the board of supervisors shall by resolution order the dissolution of the district and all property of such district shall remain the property of the county in which the district is located and any money remaining in the fund of such district shall be expended in the maintenance and repairs of highways of such district.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 818. EMME.

Amends Sec. 671a of the C. C. P. The present section is revamped. The amendment provides that judgments of the United States District Court within this State shall have the same effect as judgments of the superior court so far as the same may become a lien upon real property in this State and may be entered, docketed, etc., in the same manner as superior court judgments. The present section provides in substance the same as the amendment with the exceptions that it uses the words "transcripts of judgment" instead of "judgments", as used in the amendment (line 3, page 1), and includes other United States courts as well as district courts.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 819. EMME.

Amends Sec. 869 of the Civil Code. Eliminates the word "express", in line 3 of the printed bill, and adds thereto the following: "but the terms thereof are not specifically set forth or declared in the grant to the trustee or in an instrument signed by him", in lines 4 and 5 of the printed bill; and the following words "where property is conveyed to a grantee designated therein as trustees without disclosing either the terms of the trust, the beneficiary, or any limitation of the power of said grantee to deal with said property", in lines 7, 8, 9 and 10. The word "an", in line 11 of the printed bill, and the words "or grantee" in lines 11 and 12 of the printed bill, are added.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 820. EMME.

Amends Sec. 1373 of the C. C. P., relating to notice of petition for letters of administration. This amendment adds the words "residing

in the State of California” after the word “decedent”, in lines 13 and 14.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 821. EMME.

Amends Sec. 674 of the C. C. P., relating to recording of judgments. Provides in addition to the provisions of the present section that a copy of the judgment rendered by a superior court of this State or a district court of the United States within this State may be recorded in the office of the recorder of any county other than the county in which the judgment is rendered and **increases** the lien of such judgment from two years to five years.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 822. EMME.

New General Law. Sec. 1 purports to validate all the proceedings of municipalities leading up to and including the issuance and sale of bonds of such municipality. **Sec. 2 provides** that the legislative body of such municipality shall at the time of levying the general tax also levy and collect annually an amount sufficient to meet the amount of principal and interest on such bonds due in such year and provides that the tax when collected shall be paid into the treasury and not to be used for any other purposes. **Sec. 3 provides** that the act shall not operate to legalize bonds sold for less than par nor those that have received the assent of less than two-thirds majority of the qualified electors nor to legalize bonds that mature at a date more than 40 years from the time of their issuance.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 823. EMME.

New General Law. Sec. 1 purports to validate the proceedings of all counties leading up to and including the issuance and sale of bonds of such county. **Sec. 2 provides** that the legislative body of such municipality shall at the time of levying the general tax also levy and collect annually an amount sufficient to meet the amount of principal and interest on such bonds due in such year and provides that the tax when collected shall be paid into the treasury and not to be used for any other purposes. **Sec. 3 provides** that the act shall not operate to legalize bonds sold for less than par nor those that have received the assent of less than two-thirds majority of the qualified electors nor to legalize bonds that mature at a date more than 40 years from the time of their issuance.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 824. EMME.

New General Law. **Sec. 1** purports to validate proceedings of all municipal improvement districts organized and formed under the Act of 1915 leading up to and including the issuance and sale of bonds of such municipal improvement district. **Sec. 2** provides that the legislative body of the municipality shall at the time of levying the general tax also levy and collect annually an amount sufficient to meet the amount of principal and interest on such bonds due in such year and provides that the tax when collected shall be paid into the treasury and to not be used for any other purposes. **Sec. 3** provides that the act shall not operate to legalize bonds sold for less than par nor those that have received the assent of less than two-thirds majority of the qualified electors nor to legalize bonds that mature at a date more than 40 years from the time of their issuance.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 825. EMME.

New General Law. **Proposes** to regulate the business of dry cleaning and dyeing. **Defines** such terms and other terms used in the act. **Prescribes** regulations for advertising, structures to be used, and the method of constructing such buildings. **Provides** for inspection and fees therefor. **Prohibits** the use of cleaning tanks except as provided in the act. **Excepts** from the provisions of the act businesses now established. **Defines** the duties of certain persons in reference to the act, and **provides** penalties for violations.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 826. DAWSON.

New General Law. **Sec. 1** makes it unlawful for any person not eligible to citizenship in the State of California or in the United States of America, to catch, kill or gather fish or shell fish of any kind whatsoever in the State of California. **Sec. 2** makes violation thereof a misdemeanor and prescribes a penalty for such violation of not less than \$50 nor more than \$500 or by imprisonment in the county jail for not less than 30 days nor more than 150 days or by both, together with cost of prosecution. **Sec. 3** makes it the duty of the district attorney to prosecute such suits. All fines, forfeitures and penalties that may be collected under this act shall be paid into the general fund of the county or city and county in which the offense is committed.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 827. DAWSON.

Adds Sec. 337b to the Penal Code, relating to horse races. Prohibits the furnishing of any list or bets before the entries for any horse race to be held anywhere. Prohibits the furnishing of any key, cipher or cryptogram containing such information or any statement or

comment thereon. Makes it unlawful for any person to have in his possession any form chart, list, circular, book or other publication other than a newspaper and which is not contained in a bona fide newspaper of general circulation. Makes violation of the provisions of this section a misdemeanor and prescribes penalties therefor.

To Committee on Public Morals.

A. B. 828. SMITH.

Adds new Sec. 645 to the Penal Code. Provides that whenever any person shall be adjudged guilty of carnal abuse of a female person under the age of ten years or of rape, or shall be adjudged to be an habitual criminal, the court may, in addition to such other punishment or confinement as may be imposed, direct an operation to be performed upon such person, for the prevention of procreation.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 829. SMITH.

Amends Sec. 1557 of the Penal Code, relating to accounts for returning fugitives from justice. Adds to the present section a provision that the officer shall receive his expenses when the fugitive returned is arraigned for trial or placed on trial and also "that when a warrant is issued from a superior court or the presiding judge thereof, endorsed by the district attorney of the county or city and county for the purpose of extraditing a fugitive from justice who has been found and arrested in any state of the United States or any foreign country, the county auditor shall draw his warrant and the county treasurer shall pay the person designated to return the fugitive the amount of expenses estimated by the district attorney to be incurred in the return of such fugitive", lines 16 to 25, inclusive, of the printed bill.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 830. SMITH.

Amends Sec. 4021 of the Pol. Code, relating to elective county and township officers. Adds to the present section a provision that sheriffs, constables, and all other elected county and township police officers shall hold office for a term of eight years or until their successors are elected or appointed, and qualified (lines 10, 11, 12 and first two words line 13, page 1 of the printed bill).

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 831. WELLER.

New General Law. Relating to the preservation of the public health. **Sec. 1** defines certain terms used in this act. **Sec. 2** provides for the recording of all cases of contagious, infectious and communicable diseases by the attending physician to the local health

officer and to the State Board of Health within twenty-four hours after the attending physician diagnoses the case. **Provides** that upon receiving such report the local health officer shall visit the patient, examine the case and shall establish a quarantine. **Provides** the local health officer shall report the case to the State Board of Health and provides that the local health officer shall not remove or lift such quarantine within the minimum period provided in this act, nor without again visiting the patient and ascertaining that all danger of spreading the disease by the patient is passed. **Sec. 3 prescribes** the minimum limit of quarantine in certain specified cases. **Sec. 4** does not appear in the printed bill. **Sec. 5 provides** that the State Board of Health shall make rules and regulations for the making of reports of such diseases and shall prescribe a method of disinfection; shall formulate instructions to be given families of patients and prescribe areas of quarantine and isolation; prescribe rules for precaution by the public and may establish minimum periods of quarantine and isolation for diseases not named in this act; may increase the minimum quarantine for diseases named in this act. **Sec. 6 prescribes** the form of placard or quarantine card to be used by the local health officer. **Sec. 7 authorizes** local boards of health to establish rules and regulations or laws or ordinances for the preservation of public health or for the prevention of the spread of diseases, but **prohibits** such local boards from establishing minimum quarantine for less periods of time than mentioned in this act. **Sec. 8 prescribes** that the attending physician after examining the patient and before leaving the premises wash thoroughly his hands and instruments in a solution of bichloride of mercury or lysol and shall wear a robe or other garment covering his person from neck to ankle. **Sec. 9 charges** the local officers of the State Board of Health with a strict enforcement of this law and makes it the duty of the district attorney to prosecute all violations. **Sec. 10 makes** a violation hereof a felony and prescribes the punishment therefor. The effect of this bill is to make quarantine regulations statutory.

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

A. B. 832. WELLER.

New General Law. Grants to municipal corporations the right to construct, operate and maintain water and gas pipes, mains and conduits, electric light and electric power lines, telephone and telegraph lines, and sewers across, under, in, along or upon any street, road, alley, avenue, or highway or across any railway, canal, ditch, or flume within any other municipal corporation by the municipal corporation. **Provides** for the bringing of an action in the superior court against any other municipal corporation to have the necessary terms, conditions and locations determined in case such other municipal corporation does not agree on such terms and conditions and location within three months after failure to agree. In such action the superior court may determine the terms and conditions to which such use of the street, avenue, alley or highway shall be subjected and upon making the judgment final the municipal corporation desiring to do

so may enter and use the street, alley, avenue or highway upon the terms and conditions specified in such judgment.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 833. BADHAM. (By request.)

Amends Sec. 1566 of the Pol. Code, relating to meetings of school trustees. **Eliminates** the word "one" and substitutes the word "each", line 5 of the printed bill. **Eliminates** the words "shall select the trustee whose duty it shall be to attend such meeting and each trustee so elected" and inserts in lieu thereof the following in lines 8, 9, and 10 of the printed bill "who attends such meeting shall be allowed their actual and necessary traveling expenses incurred in going to and returning from such meetings."

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 834. BADHAM. (By request.)

Amends Secs. 1560 and 1564 of the Pol. Code, relating to teachers' institutes.

The amendment to Sec. 1560 eliminates the words "\$200" and inserts in lieu thereof "\$2 per teacher for each teacher employed," in lines 24 and 25, page 1 of the printed bill, and adds the words "institute funds", lines 2 and 3, page 2.

The amendment to Sec. 1564 eliminates the words "\$200" and inserts in lieu thereof the words "\$2 per teacher employed therein," in lines 7 and 8, page 3 of the printed bill. Changes the figures "\$300" from the present section to "\$500" in line 11, page 3, and changes the figures "300" to "500" appearing in lines 21, 22, page 3, and the figures "\$1" to "\$2", line 23, page 3.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 835. BADHAM. (By request.)

Amends Secs. 1700 and 1701 of the Pol. Code, relating to payment of salaries of teachers.

The amendment to Sec. 1700 adds the following: "Provided, however, that the governing boards of school districts may employ or permit competent persons who do not hold teachers' certificates, to address the pupils of their respective schools from time to time and whenever they deem it advisable to do so may pay such persons for the services rendered, provided, further, however, that the time used in services of this kind shall not exceed two hours per week in the aggregate during the school year in each school of the district", lines 8 to 16, inclusive, page 1 of the printed bill.

The amendment to Sec. 1701 **eliminates** the words "boards of trustees or city boards of education" and inserts in lieu thereof the words "governing body of the school district", lines 23 and 24, page 1 of the printed bill; the amendment also adds the following: "provided, however, that the governing boards of school districts may

employ or permit competent persons who do not hold teachers' certificates to address the pupils of their respective schools from time to time and whenever they deem it advisable to do so, may pay such persons for the services rendered; provided, further, however, that the time used in services of this kind shall not exceed two hours per week in the aggregate during the school year in each school district", lines 1 to 9, inclusive, page 2 of the printed bill.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 836. BADHAM. (By request.)

Amends Sec. 1552 of the Pol. Code, relating to county superintendents of schools. This is a companion bill to S. B. 353. For digest see said Senate bill.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 837. BADHAM.

Adds Sec. 1609a to the Pol. Code, relating to city superintendents of schools. This is a companion bill to S. B. 347. For digest see said Senate bill.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 838. CLEARY.

Amends Sec. 2319i and repeals Sec. 2319j of the Pol. Code, relating to shipment of nursery stock. Sec. 2319i adds the word "bulbs", line 6 of the printed bill, to the present section and eliminates therefrom the words "within the borders of this state", after the word "purpose", line 7 of the printed bill, and the following after the word "case", in line 13, page 1: "The director of agriculture shall issue to each applicant a special license number and it shall be unlawful to ship or deliver within the State of California any package or other container or shipment of nursery stock, trees, plants, shrubs or vines for planting or for propagation purposes within this state, which does not bear such special license number in a conspicuous manner and place; provided, however, that an agent or agents acting as salesman for a nursery jobber, person, firm, or organization shall not be granted a license number but shall be required to use the license number issued the nursery jobber, person, firm or organization by whom such agent or agents are employed". The amendment adds the following matter appearing in lines 13 to 20, inclusive, page 1 of the printed bill: "All moneys received by the director of agriculture for such license fees shall be paid over to the treasurer of the State of California, who shall deposit same to the credit of the nursery service fund, which fund is hereby created, to be used exclusively for the support of the nursery service, and to be paid out only upon claims approved by the director of agriculture and by the board of control". Sec. 2319j which is repealed relates to permits to make shipments into the state.

To Committee on Agriculture.

A. B. 839. CLEARY. (By request.) Deer. Gen. L. No. 4349a.

Amends the Joint County Water District Act of 1913.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 840. WILLIAMS.

New General Law. Provides for the protection of turkey growers from theft by requiring a bill of sale to accompany any transfer of turkeys. **Prescribes** what shall be shown by said bill of sale and **defines** certain terms used in the act. **Prescribes** penalties for violations.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 841. PRENDERGAST.

New General Law. Sec. 1 makes it unlawful for any employee or prospective employee, to defraud or refuse or neglect to perform labor or services to the full cost or value of the transportation furnished or advancement made, to obtain transportation to such place of employment or pecuniary advancement on the salaries or wages to be earned. **Sec. 2 makes** the failure or refusal of such employee or prospective employee to perform such labor or services in accordance with his contract, prima facie evidence of his intent to defraud. **Sec. 3 declares** the violation of this act a misdemeanor and punishable as such.

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

A. B. 842. POMEROY.

Adds Secs. 1519e, 1620a and 1543c to the Pol. Code. Sec. 1519e **provides** that the State Board of Education shall establish rules to guide the elementary schools in purchasing school supplies and equipment in order to secure uniformity and for that purpose to specify standards. Sec. 1620a **provides** (1) that common school trustees shall purchase such standard supplies as are designated under the provisions of Sec. 1519e; (2) city boards of education and high school boards may purchase **standard** school supplies through the county superintendent of schools, or at his direction, through the county purchasing agent; (3) that all other supplies and equipment shall be purchased in the manner provided by law. Sec. 1543c **provides**, (1) that the county superintendent of schools shall be authorized to purchase **standard** school supplies in accordance with the provisions of Sec. 1519e and to act as purchasing agent for city and high school districts upon request; (2) authorizes the county purchasing agent to purchase **standard** school supplies and equipment. The figures "1543c" should be inserted by amendment before the word "first", in line 4, page 2 of the printed bill.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 843. SCHMIDT.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 548a.

Repeals the Cemetery Abandonment Act of 1921.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 844. SCHMIDT.

Amends Sec. 611 of the Civil Code, relating to cemetery bonds. The amendment to this section changes 12 per cent in the present section to 8 per cent. Also changes the 60 per cent to 50 per cent and adds as new matter to said section the following, in lines 9, 10 and 11 of the printed bill: "In no case shall the price paid for land so purchased exceed a sum equalling three times the amount of the assessed valuation of such lands at the time of purchase".

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 845. SCHMIDT.

Amends Sec. 609 of the Civil Code, relating to elections by cemetery corporations. **Adds** to the present section the words "one or more", in lines 3 and 4 of the printed bill. **Eliminates** the words "two hundred" and inserts in lieu thereof "one hundred". **Adds** "or meetings", line 9 of the printed bill and the words "or association" after the word "corporation" throughout the entire section. **Adds** the following in lines 12, 13, 14 and 15: "Provided that the appointment of such proprietor to represent other joint proprietors and that all proxies shall bear date within two years anterior to the date upon which such election or meeting is held". Also **adds** the words "or trustees of the association", in line 16.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 846. WEST.

Adds Sec. 392a to the Penal Code, relating to mail and express trains.

Provides that in making up or running railroad trains consisting entirely of express or mail cars that a passenger car or caboose must be placed at the rear of such train of cars. **Makes** violation a misdemeanor and in case of a loss of life or limb resulting from neglect to place or run such passenger car or caboose as provided in the bill, a felony.

To Committee on Public Utilities.

A. B. 847. CONNOLLY AND BERNARD.

New General Law. Declares the county road extending from Willows through Fruto, Elk Creek, Alder Springs in Glenn County and continuing through Covelo, Dos Rios, Laytonville and Branscomb to Westport in Mendocino County to be a State highway and places the same under the supervision and control of the State Highway Commission.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 848. BROMLEY.

New General Law. Transfers the functions, powers and jurisdiction of the Building and Loan Commissioner to the Superintendent of Banks.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 849. CLEVELAND.

Appropriates \$1,596.75 to pay the claim of Hammond Weeks and Dagmar F. Weeks against the State of California.

To Committee on Claims.

A. B. 850. CLEVELAND.

Amends Sec. 594b of the Pol. Code, relating to forms of liability insurance policies.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 851. LYMAN.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1672m.

Amends Secs. 1, 2 and 3 and adds Sec. 4 to the Insurance Guaranty Surplus Fund Act of 1917. The amendment to Sec. 1 is as follows: The words "an examination of the condition of such corporation and", is **added**, line 16, page 1 of the printed bill; the phrase "of which is amendatory" is **added**, line 5, page 2 of the printed bill; the following, "equal to its capital stock or" or equivalent phrase is **eliminated** in Secs. 1, 2 and 3 and there is **added** in lieu thereof the following: "Equal twice the minimum amount of capital required by the laws of this State, to be maintained by fire insurance companies admitted to do business in this State", or the same phrase with the omission of the words "equal twice". The amendment to Sec. 3 **eliminates** the words "and of the guaranty surplus fund hereinbefore provided" and substitutes the following: "Surplus including said guaranty surplus fund": in lines 8 and 9, page 4 of the printed bill. **Eliminates** the words "one-half of its capital stock" and **adds** in lieu thereof the words "hereinbefore provided". (Lines 41 and 42, page 4 of the printed bill.) Sec. 4 **provides** that any domestic fire insurance company which has heretofore established a guaranty surplus fund and special reserve fund may at a regular meeting of its board of directors adopt a resolution declaring its desire and intention to discontinue such funds and to cease to do business under this act and shall file a certified copy of such resolution with the Insurance Commissioner. **Provides** that upon the adoption and filing of such resolution the rights of such corporation to withhold such special reserve fund from its general creditors shall be terminated and the corporation shall discontinue printing (in) its policies or renewals the notice provided for in Secs. 1 and 2 of this act. **Provides** that the special reserve fund and guaranty surplus

fund shall continue to be held and invested as provided in the sections hereinbefore mentioned, but only for the purpose of assuring to the holders of policies at the time such resolution is filed with the Insurance Commissioner such rights and privileges as may inure to them under this act. Provides that at the expiration of five years from the adoption and filing of such resolution the special reserve fund shall be reduced to an amount equal to the unearned premium upon and all losses incurred and unpaid under any remaining policies which were outstanding at the time of the adoption and filing of such resolution and provides that the excess of the special fund shall be returned by the Insurance Commissioner to such corporation and when all liabilities under policies which were outstanding at the time of the adoption and filing of such resolution, shall be terminated by expiration, canceling or otherwise, the entire balance of such special reserve fund shall be returned to such corporation. **Provides that** if any corporation shall have deposited with the Commissioner of Insurance a sum in excess of the minimum amount of such special reserve fund required to be deposited of such corporation, the Insurance Commissioner upon request of such corporation evidenced by certified copy of a resolution of its board of directors, shall return to such corporation such excess on the portion thereof, requested to be so returned.

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 852. MOORE.

Amends Sec. 626 of the Penal Code, relating to protection of game. This bill **substitutes** the month of January, line 3, page 2 of the printed bill, for the month of December. **Substitutes** the month of November, in line 4, page 2, for the month of December.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 853. DONOHUE.

Amends Sec. 632 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of trout.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 854. DONOHUE.

Amends Sec. 626 of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game. Eliminates the words "mountain and valley", in line 14, page 1 of the printed bill, and **adds** the following: "or who between the second day of January and the thirty-first day of October, both dates inclusive, of any year, hunts, pursues, takes, kills, destroys or has in his possession any valley or mountain quail", lines 15, 16, 17, and the first five words in line 18, page 1. Also changes the month of October to September, in line 19, page 1, and the word "fourteenth" to

“first”, in line 19, page 1, and the month September to July, in line 19, page 1.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 855. KLINE.

Appropriates \$15,854.29 to pay the claim of the Director General of Railroads, United States Railroad Administration, against the State of California.

To Committee on Claims.

A. B. 856. KLINE.

Appropriates \$70,843.55 to pay the claim of the Southern Pacific Company against the State of California.

To Committee on Claims.

A. B. 857. LYONS.

New General Law. Relates to outdoor advertising and granting municipalities the power to regulate or prohibit such advertising. **Sec. 1** defines what shall constitute outdoor advertising. **Sec. 2 grants** the legislative body of any city or county the power to prohibit or regulate by ordinance such outdoor advertising in such city or counties and to provide among other things where such advertising may be permitted, the size and kind of structures upon which it may be placed and the subject matter that may appear thereon. **Sec. 3** provides that any ordinance regulating such outdoor advertising matter may designate an officer whose duty it shall be to enforce the regulations prescribed by such ordinance. Grants to such officer the right to enter upon the premises where such outdoor advertising is maintained and displayed for the purpose of examining the same and grants to such officer the right to remove any such outdoor advertising and structures which are not in conformity with the regulations provided in such ordinance.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 858. MORRISON.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1297.

Adds Sec. 21½ to the Hunting License Act of 1909. Provides for the furnishing by the State Fish and Game Commission to the county clerk of each county who shall issue a hunting license a tag bearing the license number, which tag the said licensee is required to display on his outer garment on the back between his shoulders while engaged in hunting. Provides that the tag only for the current year shall be worn displayed. Provides for the issuance by the Fish and Game Commissioner and the county clerk between the first day of July and the last day of the open season for killing deer, identification tags equal in number to the number of deer permitted to be killed by one person in one season. Provides that upon killing of the deer the

licensee shall attach one of said tags to the carcass and write on the tag the date and place of killing. Makes it unlawful for any one to be in possession of the deer carcass without such tag attached to the carcass and it shall be unlawful to mutilate or alter the date contained on such tag or attach such tag to more than one deer.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 859. MORRISON.

Deer, Gen. L. No. 1297.

Adds Sec. 4a to the Hunting License Act of 1909. Provides that every person applying for a license shall furnish to the county clerk or State Fish and Game Commission a written statement signed by him showing the kind and number of each species of game killed and the county in which it was killed during the preceding hunting license year. Provides annual report by the Fish and Game Commission to the Governor showing the number of each species of game killed in each county for the preceding fiscal year.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 860. MORRISON.

Adds Sec. 542b to the Civil Code. Provides that whenever an attachment is levied on personal property proper notice thereof must be given to the owner of such property, who shall be entitled within 24 hours after the giving of such notice to satisfy the demand against him or give an undertaking, the effect of which shall be to release such attachment.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 861. EDWIN BAKER.

New General Law. Transfers the functions, powers, purposes and jurisdiction of the Bureau of Building and Loan Supervision and of the Building and Loan Commissioner to the State Banking Department.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 862. MATHEWS.

Amends Sec. 626e of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of deer. Eliminates the word "fawn" from the present section, line 4 of the printed bill. Adds the word "forked" in line 4, and the following: "Provided, however, that a two point or forked horn mule deer, whose horns commonly fork when one year old, shall be considered to be a spike buck," in lines 16, 17 and 18.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 863. WEST.

Amends Sec. 1202a of the Penal Code, relating to persons sentenced to state prison. Adds to the present section the following: "Provided, however, that if the defendant has already served a term of imprisonment in any state prison it shall direct that the defendant be taken to the state prison at Folsom," lines 5, 6, 7 and 8 of the printed bill.

To Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

A. B. 864. WILLIAMS.

Amends Sec. 1533 of the Pol. Code, relating to convention of county and city superintendents of schools, and adds the following: "The board of trustees in districts employing 50 teachers or less and having district superintendents may send their district superintendent to the convention of county and city superintendents and may pay the actual and necessary traveling expenses of such district superintendent while in attendance at such convention," line 21 to 26, inclusive, of the printed bill.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 865. HORNBLOWER.

Amends Sec. 542 of the C. C. P., relating to attachments. Adds to subdivision first the following: "Whenever an attachment is made on a building in the course of construction a copy of the writ must be posted in a conspicuous place on such building," lines 14, 15 and 16 of the printed bill. **Eliminates** subdivision second, third, fourth and fifth of the present section.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 866. HORNBLOWER.

Adds Sec. 146a to the Penal Code. Provides that any officer or person pretending to be a public officer who enters any building, room or apartment where the same is occupied as a dwelling for the purpose of search and seizure or who searches the person or property of any person without a search warrant, duly issued by a magistrate, is punishable by imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding one year or by fine not exceeding \$500, or both.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 867. HORNBLOWER.

Adds Sec. 1540 to the Penal Code. Provides that whenever it appears to any court of general jurisdiction that property has been taken unlawfully from the person or premises of another by any public officer or person pretending to be a public officer, the court must upon demand cause the property to be restored to the person

from whom it was taken and in no case when unlawfully taken shall such property be used in evidence in any criminal case.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 868. HORNBLOWER.

Amends Sec. 1540 of the Penal Code, relating to property taken under search warrant. **Adds** the following to the present section: "or if the property was taken unlawfully or illegally," lines 6 and 7 of the printed bill.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 869. HORNBLOWER.

New General Law. Relates to reciprocal and interexchange insurance, except life insurance indemnity. Sec. 2 regulates the issuance of said contracts by the agent or attorney of the respective subscribers. Sec. 3 requires the subscribers to file with the Insurance Commissioner a verified declaration showing certain information which is schedulized in said section. Sec. 4 provides for the filing with the Insurance Commissioner by the agent or attorney of an instrument authorizing suits and all processes thereunder to be brought in the county in which the property or person injured is located against the attorney as a representative of the subscribers, and further provides for a bond to be filed with the Insurance Commissioner. Provision is made for the full control of the business of reciprocal or interexchange by the Insurance Commissioner and the issuance of certificates of authority by him. Penalties are provided. Sec. 12 declares that in lieu of all other taxes, state or local, the same amounts shall be paid as are paid by mutual companies transacting the same kind of business and an annual tax on the gross premium collected by subscribers during the preceding calendar year after deducting therefrom deposit returns. Such tax to be computed at the same rate as for mutual companies transacting the same kind of business. **Repeals** all acts and parts of acts in conflict.

Note. The title to the act states that the act of 1911 providing for interexchange of contracts of indemnity (Deer. Gen. L. No. 1672c) is repealed. The body of the bill contains no reference to this act.

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 870. CLEVELAND.

The title to this bill is ambiguous and it can not be ascertained therefrom what the bill relates to.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs.

A. B. 871. BERNARD. (By request.)

New General Law. Provides for the appointment of an inspector of highway tree planting by the State Forester. Fixes the salary of such inspector at the sum of \$2,400 per annum. Allows actual traveling expenses not to exceed \$1,000 per annum.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 872. SMITH.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2331b.

Amends Sec. 36 of the Motor Vehicle Act.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

A. B. 873. C. C. BAKER.

Amends Sec. 4253 of the Pol. Code. Monterey County Government Bill.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 874. CHRISTIAN.

Amends Sec. 4131 of the Pol. Code, relating to county recorders. **Adds** to the present section the words "or by photography or photographic process," lines 4 and 5, page 1 of the printed bill.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 875. MISS BROUGHTON.

Appropriates \$3,000 to be used by the Board of Control during the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years for the purpose of transporting certain dependent children to proper homes without the State, when such homes are offered. The appropriation is contingent upon payment by the county from which the children are removed of one-half of the total expense incurred in such transportation.

To Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

A. B. 876. MISS BROUGHTON.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1732n.

Adds Sec. 4 to the Act of 1919, providing for the development of electric power by irrigation districts. Provides that the board of directors of any irrigation district may not sell or contract for sale of more than 20 per cent of the entire output of such power to any privately owned public utility which sells electric energy to the public unless the question of such proposed sale is first submitted to a vote of the people of such district and a majority of the persons voting on such proposition vote in favor of such sale; provides that

such election shall be called in accordance with the requirements of bond elections of such irrigation district.

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 877. MISS BROUGHTON.

Deer, Gen. L. No. 4385.

Amends the Weights and Measures Act of 1913.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Agriculture.

A. B. 878. MISS BROUGHTON.

New General Law. Sec. 1 provides that every bovine in California affected with tuberculosis, or which reacts to a tuberculin test applied by a legally qualified veterinarian, shall be immediately branded on the left jaw by said veterinarian with the letter "T".

Sec. 2 provides that every owner of any bovine who after knowledge of such fact refuses to permit the branding of such animal and every veterinarian who fails to report such bovine to the Director of Agriculture or who fails to brand the same as required by Sec. 1 is guilty of a misdemeanor.

Sec. 3 provides that the Director of Agriculture shall make necessary rules and regulations to carry out the provisions of this act.

To Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

A. B. 879. MISS BROUGHTON.

New General Law. Makes it unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation to sell, expose for sale, or offer for sale or exchange, present or deliver to any creamery, cheese factory, milk condensing factory, pasteurized milk plant or other buyer or consumer of milk or products of milk, any impure, uncleaned, unwholesome, stale or adulterated milk or cream or any product manufactured therefrom. Makes it unlawful for the purchase or sale of any such products where the same have been handled in an unsanitary condition or where produced from cows affected by disease or within 15 days preceding or five days after parturition.

To Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

A. B. 880. MATHEWS.

Deer, Gen. L. No. 196g.

Amends the Tuberculosis Free Area Act of 1921.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

A. B. 881. REINDOLLAR, AND ROSENSHINE.

Adds Sec. 4041g to the Pol. Code. Provides that boards of supervisors shall have power to regulate or to prohibit and prevent within

their county the sale or use of fireworks and to regulate and prohibit the firing and discharging of fire arms in or into the highways or other public places in such county.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 882. ROCK.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2331d.

Adds Sec. 5b to the Jitney Bus Act of 1917. Provides that no certificate shall be issued under paragraph 5 of the act if the fixed termini or any intermediate incorporated city or town or city and county connected by the public highway or highways composing the regular route over which a transportation company desires such certificate to operate, are already served by existing steam or electric railroad or transportation engaged in the business of transportation of persons or property for compensation by common carrier.

Note. The title and Sec. 1 of this bill are defective. The title was amended in 1919 and the title and Sec. 1 should be amended in accordance with the title of the 1919 amendment.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

A. B. 883. KLINE.

Appropriates \$150,000 to be used by the Department of Engineering for the construction of the highway from a point on the State highway in Riverside County near Mecca to the Colorado River at Blythe, in Riverside County. Permits the Department of Engineering to change the route thereof whenever and wherever it may deem expedient.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 884. MORRIS.

Amends Sec. 1470 of the Penal Code, relating to judgments. Adds to the present section the words "submitted to the sheriff of the county and", in line 5 of the printed bill.

To Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

A. B. 885. BROMLEY.

New General Law. The title states that the purpose of the bill is to regulate the validation of district bonds and provide for the supervision thereof by the State Superintendent of Banks.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 886. CARLSON.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2331b.

Amends the Motor Vehicle Act of 1915.

SKELETON BILL.

Note. The date of the approval of the act as set out in the title should be **May 10, 1915.**

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

A. B. 887. MORRIS (by request).

New General Law. Authorizes the formation of rural credit unions for cooperative purposes. **Sec. 1 authorizes** the formation of such corporations to be known as credit unions under authority of the Superintendent of Banks and states the requirements for certification by him. **Sec. 2 provides** what the by-laws must contain. **Sec. 3 prescribes** the business that may be conducted by such corporation. **Sec. 4 details** the powers of such a corporation in addition to the general powers of corporations. **Sec. 5 prescribes** general regulations for such corporation. **Sec. 6 states** what the capital of such corporation shall consist of. **Sec. 7 relates** to the deposit of funds of such corporation. **Sec. 8 authorizes** the creation of a guaranty fund and the regulations thereof. **Secs. 9 and 10 relate** to the declaration of the dividends and the allocation of such dividends, and prescribe limitations as to the payment thereof. **Secs. 11 and 12 relate** to the change of place of business of such corporations. **Sec. 12 provides** that the shares of the members of any such corporation and all accumulations thereon to the extent of \$600 shall be exempt from execution and that unless the by-laws provide otherwise, no share holder of such corporation shall be individually liable for the payment of its debts. **Sec. 13 relates** to the reduction of liability of such corporation. **Sec. 14 provides** for withdrawal or expulsion of members. **Sec. 15 relates** to the holding of annual and special meetings of the corporation. **Sec. 16 relates** to the liability of the directorate. **Sec. 17 prescribes** the oath to be taken by the directors. **Sec. 18 relates** to the term of directors. **Sec. 19 states** who are officers of the corporation. **Sec. 20 outlines** the general duties of the directors. **Sec. 21 contains** general regulations for the conduct of the corporate business. **Sec. 22 specifies** the power of the supervisory committee. **Sec. 23 prescribes** the duties of the officers of the corporation. **Sec. 24 provides** for the amendment of the by-laws of the corporation. **Sec. 25 declares** any corporation formed under the provisions of this act to be an institution for savings within the meaning of the law, which exempts such institutions from taxation. **Sec. 26 determines** the fiscal year of the corporation. **Secs. 27 and 28 relate** to report to Superintendent of Banks. **Secs. 29 and 30 prescribe** penalties. **Secs. 31 and 32 relate** to the approval of the Superintendent of Banks. **Sec. 33 prescribes** the procedure on the insolvency of any such corporation. **Sec. 35 provides** that the Superintendent of Banks may grant extensions of time to the corporation in certain cases.

To Committee on Agriculture.

A. B. 888. BERNARD.

Appropriates \$20,000 for the use of the State Board of Health for the purpose of malaria control during the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years.

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

A. B. 889. DOZIER.

Amends Sec. 925 of the Penal Code, relating to grand juries. Adds the following to the present section: "except that when a charge against or involving the district attorney, assistant district attorney or deputy district attorney, is being investigated by the grand jury, such district attorney or assistant district attorney or deputy district attorney shall not be allowed to be present before such grand jury when such charge is being investigated, in an official capacity, but only as a witness and he shall only be present while a witness and after his appearance as such witness must leave the place where the grand jury is holding its session. The grand jury shall be empowered in such investigation to employ special counsel whose duty it shall be to investigate and present the evidence in such investigation to the grand jury", in lines 10 to 22, inclusive, page 1 of the printed bill.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 890. C. C. BAKER.

Amends Sec. 4253 of the Pol. Code. Monterey County Government Act.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 891. DUVAL.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 4386.

Amends Sec. 1 of the Public Weighmaster Act of 1915. Eliminates the words "and shall file a bond with the state superintendent of weights and measures in the sum of one thousand dollars for the faithful performance of his duties and shall obtain from the superintendent of weights and measures a seal for the stamping of weight certificates hereinafter provided for which shall only be in such form as such superintendent", and specifies in lieu thereof the words "shall pay a license fee of ten dollars per annum", line 14, page 1 of the printed bill. The following clause is inserted after the words "weights and measures", in lines 15, 16, 17, 20, 23, page 1 of the printed bill, line 4, page 2 of the printed bill (department of agriculture). The words "and shall be forfeited and returned to the state superintendent of weights and measures (department of agriculture) upon termination of the performance of the duties herein prescribed as being the duties of a public weighmaster", lines 21, 22 and 23, page 1, and lines 1 and 2, page 2 of the printed bill, are **added** after the word "state", line 21, page 1.

Note. There is a Sec. 2 set forth in this act which provides that all moneys accruing from this act shall be deposited in the state treasury to the credit of the public weighmaster's fund which fund is created and appropriates \$36,000 for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act to be expended by the director of agriculture.

Sec. 3 purports to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act. The subject mentioned in Sec. 2 is not covered in the title nor in the original section of this act, and the title and bill should be amended.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 892. CRITTENDEN.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 4044.

Amends Secs. 2, 3, 4 and 5 of the Municipal Corporation Tax Act of 1891.

Sec. 2 is revamped and provides that the county auditor shall transmit to the legislative body of every municipal corporation a statement of the equalized value of property within such municipal corporation, subject to taxation, but provides no such statement shall be necessary where the municipal corporation has expressed a desire or intention of equalizing its own assessment.

Sec. 3 is revamped and provides that the legislative body of such municipal corporation shall fix its rate of taxes, using as a basis therefor the equalized valuation made by the county officials except where such municipal corporation has expressed a desire or intention of equalizing its own assessment.

Sec. 4 the words "or city" are eliminated from the present section, after the word "municipal", lines 17 and 19, page 2 of the printed bill, except where the word "city" appears in line 26, page 2, and the following is **added**, "or as established by the city officials as the case may", line 21 and the first word in line 22, page 2.

Sec. 5 the word "and" is **eliminated** and the word "or" is **substituted**, in line 33, page 2. The following is **added**: "or both assessing and collecting as the case may be", after the word "taxes", in lines 34 and 35, page 2.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 893. DOZIER.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1726.

Adds Sec. 64 to the California Irrigation District Act of 1897. Makes it unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation owning or having possession of any domestic animals to suffer or permit such animal to break into or upon land owned by any person, firm or corporation, other than the owner of such animal, with the boundaries of any irrigation district. **Provides** for a suit for trespassing against the owner or person in possession or charge of such animal and recovery of all actual damages sustained by reason of such trespass. Also permits the district to bring suit to recover damages sustained to any canal or irrigation works by reason of such trespass and to prevent by injunction trespassing on its rights of way.

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 894. WEST.

Amends Secs. 3640 of the Pol. Code, relating to reclamation district assessments.

Eliminates the word "shall" after the word "assessments" and adds "or may hereafter be levied", line 13 of the printed bill. **Adds** the following: "all assessments heretofore or hereafter levied, including assessments upon which bonds have been, or may hereafter be issued, may be reapportioned as herein provided, anything in this code to the contrary notwithstanding", in lines 26 to 29, inclusive, of the printed bill.

To Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

A. B. 895. WEST.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2143e.

Amends Sec. 9 of the Workmen's Compensation Act of 1917.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 896. WEST.

New General Law. The title states that the bill provides for the organization and government of public park districts.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 897. WRIGHT.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1828.

Amends Sec. 7 of the Labor Bureau Act of 1883. Provides that all money collected by the commissioner upon wage claims assigned to the bureau shall be held in trust by said bureau for the rightful claimant or claimants thereof and if no rightful claimant appears within one year after the collection thereof or the rightful claimant or claimants have disappeared leaving no address, the same shall be deposited in the State Treasury in the "labor bureau fund" which is created. **Provides** that upon demand by the rightful owner the Labor Commissioner shall direct the State Controller to draw his warrant for the sum rightfully due such claimant or claimants.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 898. CLEVELAND.

Adds Sec. 347b to the Penal Code. Makes it a misdemeanor to sell or give any person any drugs, medicine or liquor containing fusel oil or methyl alcohol.

To Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

A. B. 899. McMILLAN.

Adds Sec. 402g to the Penal Code. Prohibits the cleaning, wiping or drying of any utensils, dishes, tableware or glassware used in eating houses by means of table linen or napkins previously used by any customer or other person in such establishment, without first having had such table linen or napkins laundered, and makes a violation a misdemeanor.

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

A. B. 900. McMILLAN.

Changes the name of the California Polytechnic School to California Vocational Institute.

To Committee on Normal Schools.

A. B. 901. McMILLAN.

New General Law. Authorizes the Director of Agriculture to undertake the control and destruction of predatory wild animals. **Sec. 1 permits** the Director of Agriculture to employ hunters and trappers throughout the State of California for the purpose of controlling and eradicating harmful predatory animals. **Sec. 2 appropriates** \$50,000 to carry out the purposes of the act. **Sec. 3** permits the receipt by the Director of Agriculture of **donations** from individuals, associations, corporations and other agencies interested in the control and destruction of predatory animals. **Sec. 4 repeals** all acts in conflict which authorize the payment of bounties on coyotes and other harmful predatory animals; **provided, however**, that the repeal does not affect any provisions of law authorizing the payment of bounties on mountain lions.

To Committee on Agriculture.

A. B. 902. McMILLAN.

Appropriates \$155,500 for the construction and equipment of buildings for the California Polytechnic School.

To Committee on Normal Schools.

A. B. 903. McMILLAN.

Appropriates \$81,000 for improvements, including repairs and equipment, at the California Polytechnic School.

To Committee on Normal Schools.

A. B. 904. HEISINGER AND FOSTER.

Adds Sec. 9a4 to the County Free Library Act of 1911.

Reduces the salary of the county librarian of Fresno County to \$3,000 per annum.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 905. HEISINGER.

Amends Sec. 4233 of the Pol. Code. **Fresno County Government Act.**

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 906. J. W. JOHNSTON.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2887.

Amends Sec. 5 of Public Utility District Act of 1921.

SKELETON BILL.

Note: The approval date in the title and in Sec. 1 should be May 31, 1921.

To Committee on Public Utilities.

A. B. 907. ROCK.

Amends Sec. 1729 of the Civil Code, relating to agreements to buy and sell.

Adds to the present section the following, in lines 6 to 19, both inclusive, of the printed bill: "Provided, however, that the seller of personal property under an agreement to sell and buy can not declare a forfeiture of the agreement to sell and buy personal property, or demand the possession or have redelivery of the personal property without returning to the buyer the consideration or value paid or given by the buyer to the seller prior to the execution, or concurrent with the execution of an agreement to sell and buy, or after delivery of the personal property to the buyer by the seller under an agreement to sell and buy; provided, further, that the seller shall be allowed to deduct a reasonable amount to cover loss through depreciation and costs of redelivery; and provided, further, that this act shall not apply to personal property, the purchase price of which is over one thousand dollars."

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 908. ROCK.

New General Law. Sec. 1 creates the Department of Law Enforcement. Sec. 2 **provides** that said department shall consist of a Commissioner of Law Enforcement to be appointed by the Governor, one deputy commissioner, and an enforcement force **not to exceed two hundred**. Grants the power to the Governor to remove the Commissioner without notice whenever in his opinion the interest of the public will be best served. **Provides** for the removal of the other appointees by the Commissioner. Sec. 3 **prescribes** the **qualifications** of the Commissioner of Law Enforcement: fixes his bond at ten thousand dollars. Sec. 4 **fixes the salary** of the Commissioner of Law Enforcement at \$7,500 per annum, together with actual and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of his official duties; provides that his office shall be kept in the State Capitol. Sec. 5 fixes the bond of the deputy commissioner at \$5,000. Sec. 6 fixes the salary of the deputy commissioner at \$5,000 per annum, together with actual and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of his official duties. Sec. 7 fixes the bond of the members of the enforcement force at \$2,000. Sec. 8 fixes the salary of the chief inspector at \$5,000 per annum. Division inspector \$3,000. Each supervising sergeant \$2,700. Patrolmen not exceeding \$2,400. Allows each member of the enforcement force his actual and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of his official duties. Sec. 9 grants to the Commissioner, deputy commissioner, and members of the enforcement force powers of peace officers for the purpose of this act. Sec. 10 provides for the enforcement of all laws, rules and regulations which may be enacted by the Commissioner or the Department of Law Enforcement regarding motor vehicles. Sec. 11 authorizes the Commissioner to make such directions, rules and regulations not inconsistent with law, for the government, conduct and discipline of said department as may be necessary. Sec. 12 provides for the appointment of a chief clerk, salary fixed at \$2,400 per annum. Permits the Commissioner to

employ additional clerical assistants as the necessities of his office may require, and permits the Commissioner to fix the salary of such employees, not to exceed \$1,800 per annum for each employee. Said employees and chief clerk shall be appointed from the Civil Service regulations. Sec. 13 provides that the salaries and expenses of this department shall be payable out of the special fund in the State Treasury, known as "chauffeurs' and operators' license fund." Sec. 14 repeals all acts in conflict.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 909. ROCK.

Adds Sec. 54a to the Civil Code. Makes it unlawful for any corporation, person or association or the proprietor or lessee, or the agent of either, in charge of a place of public amusement or entertainment to charge a higher rate of admission for Sundays and holidays, than charged on other week days. Permits the recovery of damages to any one who is refused admission to any place of amusement or entertainment contrary to the provisions of this act.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 910. ROCK.

Repeals Sec. 4085 $\frac{1}{2}$ of the Pol. Code, relating to innavigable streams which may be declared highways for fishing.

To Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

A. B. 911. DOUGLAS (by request).

New General Law. The title states that the bill provides for the construction of parks and boulevards in municipalities within the State containing a population of 10,000 or over.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 912. DOUGLAS.

New General Law. Permits the Highway Commission to acquire redwood forests along the State highway known as the Redwood highway, in any case where the acquisition of such redwood forests will be for the benefit of the State highway in aiding the maintenance and preservation of the attractions and scenic beauties thereof.

To Committee on Conservation.

A. B. 913. SPALDING.

Appropriates \$98,000 for the erection of a building for male patients at Agnews State Hospital.

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

A. B. 914. SPALDING.

Appropriates \$10,000 for improvement of the heating system at Agnews State Hospital.

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

A. B. 915. REINDOLLAR.

New General Law. Relating to the removal of weeds and rubbish from sidewalks, streets, alleys, lanes, courts and properties in incorporated cities and towns and prescribing the method of affecting such removal. Sec. 1 makes it the duty of certain officers to notify the owner of such property to remove such rubbish. Provides for service of notice by mail on the property owner. Sec. 2 makes it the duty of the clerk of such legislative body to keep a list of all notices served in accordance with this act and the fact of compliance or non-compliance with the terms and directions contained in notice. Sec. 3 provides for certain proceedings to be taken by the legislative body directing the proper officer to remove such weeds and rubbish. Sec. 4 makes the cost of such removal a lien upon the property. Sec. 5 describes the form of the notice to be given the property owner. Sec. 6 repeals all acts in conflict.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 916. REINDOLLAR.

Appropriates \$150,000 for the survey, plans and estimates for the construction of a highway from Mill Valley through Steep Ravine in Marin County to Bolinas in said county.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 917. EKSWARD AND NOYES.

Amends Sec. 1608 of Pol. Code, relating to powers of boards of school trustees and city boards of education. **Eliminates** the word "apparatus", in line 12, page 1 of the printed bill, and **adds** in lieu thereof, the words "and equipment". **Adds** the words "or supplies" after the word articles". Line 13, page 1. **Adds** the following: Provides that it shall be the duty of the board of school trustees, or city board of education, to order the county superintendent of schools to draw his requisition on the county auditor, as provided in subdivision third (a) of Secs. 1543 and 1543a for such supplies, furniture or equipment, immediately upon the delivery to the board of trustees, or to the board of education of said supplies, furniture or equipment. Lines 14 to 22, both inclusive, page 1.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 918. NOYES.

Amends Sec. 626 of the Penal Code, relating to protection of game. **Eliminates** the words, "16th day of January", line 3, page 1 of the printed bill, and inserts in lieu thereof the words, "first day of February." **Eliminates** the words "thirtieth day of September", line 4, and inserts in lieu thereof the words, "fifteenth day of October." **Eliminates** the words "Sixteenth day of January", line 11, page 1, and inserts in lieu thereof, the words, "first day of February." **Eliminates** the words, "thirty-first day of October," in lines 11 and 12, page 1, and inserts in lieu thereof, the words "fourteenth day of November." In line 14, page 1, **eliminates** the word "mountain" and inserts the following: "or who, between the first day of December and the 31st day of August, both dates inclusive of the following year, hunts, pursues, takes, kills or destroys, or has in his possession any mountain quail:" the last word, line 14 and lines 15, 16, 17 and after the first two words of line 18. **Eliminates** the words "sixteenth day of September", line 25, page 1, and inserts in lieu thereof, "the first day of October." **Eliminates** the words "thirty-first day of July," line 26, page 1, and inserts in lieu thereof "the fourteenth day of August". **Eliminates** the words "one-half," line 1, page 2. **Eliminates** the following, line 3, page 2: "One and one-half, every person who between the 16th day of December and the fourteenth day of October, both dates inclusive of the following year, hunts, pursues, takes, kills or destroys or has in his possession any valley or mountain quail", and inserts in lieu thereof, the following: "**provided, further**, that in fish and game district numbers two, three, and any fish and game districts lying between the northern boundary of Mendocino county and the southern boundary of Ventura county, every person, who, between the first day of February and the fourteenth day of November, both dates inclusive, of any year, hunts, pursues, takes, kills or destroys or has in his possession, any mountain quail is guilty of a misdemeanor: **provided, further**, that in fish and game districts number four and number four and one-half every person who, between the first day of January and the 15th day of October, both dates inclusive of any year, hunts, pursues, takes, kills or destroys or has in his possession any desert, valley or mountain quail, is guilty of a misdemeanor: **provided, further**, that any person who hunts, pursues, takes, kills or destroys or has in his possession any desert, valley or mountain quail or any dove at any time within five years from the date this act takes effect, in fish and game district number one shall be guilty of a misdemeanor:" lines 3 to 21, both inclusive, page 2.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 919. NOYES.

New General Law. Permits the killing or capture of any bear (not redneed to captivity) in fish and game district number one at any and all times.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 920. NOYES.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1297.

Amends Sec. 3 of the Fishing License Act of 1909. The first, second and third subdivisions of said section are amended by adding thereto the following: "and who is not a member of a gun club or otherwise interested in any game preserve, for the purpose of hunting upon unenclosed grounds", lines 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16, 19 and 20 of the printed bill. In the third subdivision of the present section the word "ten" is amended to read "twenty-five", line 21, page 1. Subdivision fourth is revamped to read as follows: "Any person for the purpose of hunting upon enclosed grounds or who is a member of any gun club or otherwise interested in any hunting preserve organized for the purpose of hunting or shooting upon game preserves or enclosed grounds, upon the payment of one thousand dollars. In the application for said license said applicant shall state under oath whether or not said applicant is a member of a gun club or interested in a hunting preserve organized for the purpose of hunting or shooting upon game preserves or enclosed grounds." Lines 22 to 31, both inclusive, of the printed bill. The approval date in the title and Sec. 1 should be "March 22, 1909."

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 921. DOUGLAS.

Amends Sec. 158 of the Pol. Code. Makes the legal distance from the county seat of Del Norte County to Sacramento 475 miles instead of 364 miles.

To Committee on Mileage.

A. B. 922. JONES.

Amends Sec. 692 of the C. C. P., relating to notice of sale of property. Amends subdivision third of said section by adding thereto the following: "Provided that where real property is to be sold under the provisions of any deed of trust the copy of said notice shall be posted in some conspicuous place on the property to be sold, at least twenty days before the date of sale," lines 23 to 27, inclusive, of the printed bill.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 923. DAVIS.

Appropriates \$100,000 for increasing the width of the State highway known as the "bank head highway" in Imperial County between Holtville and Yuma.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 924. WHITACRE.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 3929.

Amends Sec. 15 of the Local Improvement Act of 1901. The amendment eliminates the word, "five" and inserting in lieu thereof, the word "one," in line 9 of the printed bill.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 925. POMEROY.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2935.

Amends Sec. 2 and adds Sec. 8 to the Full Crew Act of 1911. Strikes out the word "fifty" and inserts the word "sixty", in line 3, page 2 of the printed bill. Strikes out the words "seventy-six" and inserts in lieu thereof the word, "eighty-five", in line 3, page 2. Strikes out the word "fifty," and inserts in lieu thereof the words "fifty-five," in line 9, page 2. Strikes out the following: "cars or fraction of twenty-five greater than twelve cars." and inserts in lieu thereof, the words "four brakemen for seventy-five cars and an additional brakeman for every additional twenty cars"; lines 9 and 10, page 2. Strikes out the following: "or fraction of fifteen greater than seven," and adds in lieu thereof, "four brakemen for sixty-five cars", line 14, page 2. Sec. 8 is new matter and provides for an investigation of the question of safety of operation by less employees than mentioned in this act. Provides for a hearing before the Railroad Commission and grants to the Commission the right to relieve the carrier from any of the provisions of this act on any portion of its railroad line or lines within the State of California, either for a specified and definite period of time, or subject to the continuing power of the Commission after a similar hearing to revise, modify or set aside said relieving order in whole or in part.

To Committee on Public Utilities.

A. B. 926. POMEROY AND ROBERTS.

Repeals Sec. 1553 of the Pol. Code, relating to restrictions upon the county superintendent of schools.

Said section reads as follows: "No school superintendent who receives an annual salary of fifteen hundred dollars or more must follow the profession of teaching, or any other vocation that can conflict with his duties as superintendent; but those receiving less than fifteen hundred dollars per annum may teach in the public schools of this State."

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 927. ROBERTS AND POMEROY.

Adds Sec. 1608a to the Pol. Code. Provides that one school district may perform school services for another school district and receive pay from the other school district for the performance of such service whenever a contract approved by the county superintendent of schools covering the performance of such service and payment therefor, has been entered into by and between the governing boards of the two school districts.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 928. POMEROY.

New General Law. Authorizes board of supervisors to appoint a park board and prescribe the membership, organization, officers, government, powers, and duties thereof.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 929. ROBERTS.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 297.

Amends the Bank Act of 1909.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Banking.

A. B. 930. ROBERTS.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 297

Amends Bank Act of 1909.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Banking.

A. B. 931. WELLER.

Purports to validate the water bonds of the city of Burbank.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 932. WELLER.

Purports to validate the sewer farm bonds of the city of Burbank.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 933. FOSTER.

New General Law. Makes it unlawful for anyone to use or employ an automobile or motoreycle in leading with a rope any horse or cow or other animal from one point to another within the confines of this State and provides penalties for violation. Repeals all acts in conflict.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

A. B. 934. SNYDER.

Amends Secs. 362a, 362b, 362c, 362d of the Pol. Code, relating to the Department of Education. The amendment of Sec. 362a divides the Department of Education into three divisions and adds a new subdivision to said section reading as follows: "Division of vocational education and rehabilitation, to be in charge of the assistant superintendent of public instruction designated as commissioner of vocational education for purposes of administration; **provided, however,** that for all purposes the state board of education is continued

and shall be the state board for vocational education which board is hereby continued in force with all the powers and functions heretofore conferred upon it by law.”, lines 7 to 14, both inclusive, page 2 of the printed bill. There is no change in Sec. 362b. The words “the board of trustees” and “the board of directors”, appearing in lines 45, 46 and 47, page 2 of the printed bill, are **added** to Sec. 362c. Sec. 362d is amended by the addition of the following: “**provided, further,** that such officers and employees as may be designated by the director of education in each teachers college or special school may be authorized to administer oaths concerning matters related to business activities and subjects under the jurisdiction of the department of education.”, lines 11 to 16, inclusive, page 3 of the printed bill.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 935. SCHMIDT.

New General Law. Makes it unlawful for any water, gas or electric light corporation to charge or collect rent on its meters. Provides for a penalty of \$50 for each offense, to be sued for and recovered in the corporate name of any county, city or city and county in this State where the violation occurs and provides that the money so collected shall constitute a part of the contingent or general funds of such county, city or city and county.

To Committee on Public Utilities.

A. B. 936. SCHMIDT.

Amends Sec. 927p of the C. C. P., relating to the small claims court. The following matter is **added**: “**provided,** that for serving a writ of execution under Sec. 927h of this title, the peace officer serving same shall be allowed his mileage at the rate now allowed by law and his reasonable expenses for the care, custody and disposal of the property seized on execution.”, lines 13 to 18, both inclusive, of the printed bill.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 937. SCHMIDT.

Amends Secs. 927e and 927l of the C. C. P., relating to small claims court. Sec. 927e is amended by striking out the words “the peace,” and inserting in lieu thereof, the words “small claims court”, line 4, page 1 of the printed bill. The word “and,” is **omitted** in line 15, page 1, and the following is **added** to subdivision seventh, “and the date of issuance of execution, if any be issued, and the return of same, and whether same has been satisfied or not:” lines 16 and 17, page 1. Sec. 927l is amended by adding thereto the following: “Within five days after receipt by the justice of such notice of appeal and the bond herein mentioned, duly executed, said justice shall make and file with the clerk of the superior court of his county a transcript of his docket in such case, together with a copy of all the

papers on file with him in relation to same", lines 25 to 30, both inclusive, page 2.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 938. EMMIE AND CRITTENDEN.

Adds chapter XV to title II of part III of the Pol. Code, relating to voting by qualified absent voters. Sec. 1 provides that any qualified elector or electors, who by reason of business operations, or in the military or naval service of the United States or State of California, are required to be absent from his home election precinct on any primary or election day, may apply to the county clerk or registrar of voters, for an absent voter's application. Provides that the county clerk or registrar of voters shall satisfy himself of the right of such elector to vote at such election and shall deliver or send by registered mail to such elector an absent voter's ballot, together with an identification envelope and a return envelope. Provides for the furnishing of all election supplies to such voter without cost and that no charge shall be made for such service by any election official, except that such absent voter shall pay the cost of mailing and registering the envelope containing his ballot. Provides for furnishing as many ballots as are to be voted upon in the absent voter's home precinct. Sec. 2 prescribes the form of envelopes to be used, which shall be prescribed by the Secretary of State, and sets forth the form of affidavit accompanying the ballot. Sec. 3 prescribes the manner of casting such ballot by the absent voter prior to such election. The ballot shall be kept unopened in a safe place by election officials and delivered to the supervisors, election commissioners or election board of the voter's home precinct. Provides for the casting of such ballots by voters in the army, navy or marine service, before some official of the service empowered to administer oaths. Sec. 4 makes it the duty of the county clerk or registrar of voters to notify the inspector of the election board of the voter's home precinct that such voter has received an absent voter's ballot and the voter shall not be permitted to vote at such precinct until he surrenders the ballot and all supplies furnished to him. Sec. 5 prescribes the manner and method of counting all absent voters' ballots by the board of supervisors, election commissioner or election board. Sec. 6 provides for an inspection of the envelope of such absent voters. If the board is satisfied with the genuineness of the signature on the envelopes, the ballots shall be removed from the envelopes, unfolded and deposited in a ballot box. Provides that such ballots shall be preserved the same as other ballots. Provides that if the board is not satisfied with the genuineness of the signature it may refuse to open the envelope containing such ballot. Provides that the totals of such absent voters' ballots shall be added to the official canvass. Sec. 7 declaring any person who aids or abets in committing fraud in connection with any vote cast, or to be cast, or attempted to be cast, to be guilty of a felony and prescribes penalties. Anyone attempting to vote fraudulently by signing the name of a qualified voter shall be guilty of forgery. Provides that a public official who violates the provisions

of this act, in any fraudulent manner or by any fraudulent means, shall be disqualified from holding office and from exercising the right of franchise, and upon conviction to be imprisoned not less than one or more than five years. Sec. 8 provides for a liberal construction of this act.

To Committee on Elections.

A. B. 939. EMME AND GRAVES.

Amends Sec. 107 of the Penal Code, relating to escapes and attempts to escape. The section is revamped to conform to Sec. 106 of the Penal Code, as amended in 1921.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 940. EMME AND GRAVES.

Amends Sec. 1243 of the Penal Code, relating to certificate of probable cause. Adds to the present section the following: "Such certificate shall specify in what particular, or particulars, there is probable cause for the appeal, and shall not be granted except in cases where it appears that such cause exists. The court granting such certificate may either of its own motion or upon the application of the district attorney, vacate and set aside such certificate whenever it shall appear, that in the interest of justice or the protection of society, the execution of the judgment should not be further stayed. Whenever the trial court denies the application for certificate of probable cause the judgment of conviction shall not be suspended pending application for a writ of probable cause in either the district court of appeal or the supreme court.", lines 9 to 21, inclusive, of the printed bill.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 941. EMME AND GRAVES.

Amends Sec. 460 of the Penal Code, relating to the degrees of burglary. The present section provides that all burglary committed in the night time is of the first degree and every burglary committed in the day time is burglary in the second degree. The amendment provides that burglary of an inhabited dwelling committed by a person armed with a dangerous weapon or assaults in the commission of burglary or in escaping from the building burglarized is burglary of the first degree. That burglary committed in the night time by a person not armed or burglary committed by an armed person in the day time, except burglary of inhabited dwellings, are burglaries of the second degree. All other burglaries are of the third degree.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 942. EMME AND GRAVES.

Adds Sec. 460a to the Penal Code. Defines "inhabited building or dwelling," to be any building which has usually been occupied by a person lodging therein at night.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 943. EMMIE AND GRAVES.

Amends Sec. 461 of the Penal Code, relating to punishment for the crime of burglary. Fixes the imprisonment for burglary in the first degree at not less than ten years; burglary of the second degree at not less than one nor more than fifteen years. Burglary of the third degree at not more than five years.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 944. EMMIE AND GRAVES.

Adds Sec. 211a to the Penal Code, relating to the definition of robbery and the degrees thereof. Provides that all robbery charges perpetrated by torture or by a person being armed with a dangerous or deadly weapon is robbery in the first degree. All other kinds of robbery are of the second degree.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 945. EMMIE AND GRAVES.

Amends Sec. 213 of the Penal Code. Prescribes that robbery of the first degree shall be punished by imprisonment of not less than ten years; second degree not less than one year.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 946. EMMIE AND GRAVES.

Amends Sec. 487 of the Penal Code, relating to grand larceny. Strikes out the words "fifty" and inserts in lieu thereof the words "two hundred", lines 5 and 6 of the printed bill.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 947. EMMIE AND GRAVES.

Amends Sec. 264 of the Penal Code, relating to the punishment of crime of rape. Eliminates from the present section the words "and the female is over the age of sixteen years and under the age of eighteen years," and insert in lieu thereof the words, "in which case the punishment shall be in the discretion of the trial court", lines 6 and 7 of the printed bill. The word "determined" is eliminated and the word "recommend" inserted in lieu thereof in line 9 of the printed bill.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 948. EMMIE AND GRAVES.

Amends Sec. 1203 of the Penal Code, relating to probation. Adds to the present section the words "conviction by", line 3, page 1 of the printed bill. And the words, "of a public offense", lines 3 and 4, page 1.

Also the words "any board or commission or other authority", lines 5, 14 and 15, page 1. The following words: "**provided**, that nothing in this section shall apply to any offense in the perpetration of which a deadly or dangerous weapon is used nor to any person who has previously suffered a conviction of a similar offense or where a public official or employee of the state, county, city, city and county, or other political subdivision thereof in the discharge of the duties of his office or employment accepts or gives or offers a bribe or embezzles public moneys or who is guilty of extortion in the discharge of his duty", are added in lines 6 to 14, inclusive, page 1. The word "or" is omitted and the word "and" is substituted in line 27, page 2. The amendment eliminates the words "or execution or sentence may in the discretion of the court continue for not over two years", and inserts in lieu thereof the words "Section two hundred seventy or two hundred seventy a for not over two years", lines 34 and 35, page 12. The word "your", line 5, page 5 of the printed bill, should read "four".

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 949. EMME AND GRAVES.

Sec. 607 of the C. C. P., relating to conduct of trial in civil cases. Eliminates the following from subdivision fourth of said section: "Unless the case is submitted to the jury on either side or both sides without argument the plaintiff must commence and may conclude the argument", in line 14, page 1 of the printed bill, and places the same subject matter in subdivision fifth of the printed bill after the words, "After the court has charged the jury". The present subdivision fifth is subdivision sixth in the printed bill. Adds new subdivision seventh to the present section.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 950. EMME AND GRAVES.

Amends Sec. 1093 of the Penal Code, relating to trials in criminal cases. Eliminates from subdivision fifth of the present section the words, "unless the case is submitted to the jury on either side or on both sides without argument the district attorney or other counsel for the people and the counsel for the defendant, may argue the case to the court and jury; the district attorney or other counsel for the people opening the argument and having the right to close", and adds in lieu thereof the following: "The judge must then charge the jury and must do so on any points pertinent to the issue, if requested by either party; and he may state the testimony and declare the law. If the charge be not given in writing, it must be taken down by the phonographic reporter", lines 20 to 24, both inclusive, of the printed bill. The part eliminated in subdivision fifth is added to subdivision sixth of the printed bill after the words "when the court has charged the jury", line 25. Subdivision seventh is entirely new.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 951. BROMLEY.

New General Law. Transfers the duties, powers, purposes and responsibilities and jurisdiction of the Department of Petroleum and Gas of the State Mining Bureau to the **Surveyor General**.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 952. WELLER.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1648.

Repeals the Pacific Colony Act of 1917.

The title is defective and should conform to the title as amended in 1921.

To Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

A. B. 953. EDWIN BAKER.

Amends Secs. 654 to 691, both inclusive, of the Pol. Code, relating to the Board of Control.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 954. BADHAM.

Repeals the act creating a cash revolving fund for the State Water Commission (Statutes 1921, chapter 854), and transfers any and all balances remaining unexpended therein to the unappropriated money in the general fund of the State Treasury.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 955. ROBERTS.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 313.

Amends the Fraternal Benefit Societies Act of 1911.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 956. ROBERTS.

New General Law. The title states that the bill **requires** railroad trains upon which toilets are maintained to be equipped with septic containers or other devices in connection with said toilets; and prescribing penalties for violations thereof.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Public Utilities.

A. B. 957. ROBERTS.

New General Law. The title states that the bill provides that the duties now performed by the Adjutant General of the State of Cali-

ifornia may be performed by an officer detailed by the United States army for such purpose, upon request of the Governor of the State.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 958. A. G. MITCHELL.

New General Law. Transfers the mineral museum maintained by the State Mining Bureau to the University of California. **Repeals** all acts in conflict.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 959. MRS. WOODBRIDGE.

Amends Sec. 2289 of the Pol. Code, relating to orphans and abandoned children. **Adds** to the present section the following:

“Provided, further, that no child born without the state who is brought into or kept within this state by any alien in violation of any law of the United States or of this state shall be eligible to receive state aid, regardless of the length of time such child may have been within the state”, lines 27 to 31, inclusive, of the printed bill.

To Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

A. B. 960. MRS. WOODBRIDGE.

Adds Sec. 3066 to the Civil Code. **Provides** that any one who sells nursery stock, trees, plants, shrubs and vines which are thereafter attached to the soil, has a lien on the real property so improved for the price of the improvement.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 961. MRS. WOODBRIDGE.

Adds Sec. 1191a to the C. C. P. **Provides** that any person, who, at the request of the reputed owner of real property, furnishes nursery stock, trees, plants, shrubs and vines which are thereafter attached to the soil, has a lien on the real property so improved for labor and materials.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 962. MRS. WOODBRIDGE.

Adds Sec. 2319m to the Pol. Code. **Authorizes** the Director of Agriculture to inaugurate a system of inspection of nursery stock, trees, plants, shrubs, and vines, at initial point of shipment within the State of California and to issue certificates at such initial point of shipment, showing on the face of such certificate all necessary facts of inspection and that such shipments covered by the certificates are free from injurious pests, plant diseases and noxious weed seeds and provides

that such certificate shall be binding on all county horticultural commissioners and their agents at terminal point of shipment without further inspection. Provides that such certificate shall be void after thirty days from date thereof and that the county horticultural commissioners shall thereafter take jurisdiction over all such shipments that are delayed beyond thirty days, as herein provided. Permits the Director of Agriculture to appoint any county horticultural commissioner as resident agent and to appoint such other inspectors or assistants as may be necessary for the enforcement of this section. Provides that all shipments of nursery stock, trees, plants, shrubs and vines inspected in accordance with this section must be marked at the initial point of shipment in a conspicuous manner with the word "inspected," and the name of the inspector and date of inspection marked thereon and all must be delivered within thirty days thereafter to the consignee without re-examination.

To Committee on Agriculture.

A. B. 963. LYMAN.

Amends Secs. 851 and 854 and repeals Sec. 858 of the C. C. P., relating to pleadings in justices' courts.

The amendment to Sec. 851 **adds** the words "and demurrer", in line 7 of the printed bill.

Sec. 854 is amended by striking out the words, "at any time before answering," and adding in lieu thereof the words, "at the time he answers", in line 16 of the printed bill. The following matter, beginning in line 17, is added: "The hearing of the demurrer shall take place at the time of the trial of the action, and if necessary, the justice may adjourn the court as provided in section eight hundred fifty-nine of this code to permit the plaintiff to amend his pleadings. If the defendant proceeds to trial without urging the point made in his demurrer, it is prima facie deemed overruled. All demurrers must be in writing and must specifically state the grounds upon which the same is taken, and to what part, or parts, of the complaint the defendant demurs. The justice shall not file any demurrer in any action unless it complies with the provisions of this section". Sec. 858, which is **repealed**, relates to the proceedings on hearing of the demurrer.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 964. LYMAN.

Adds Sec. 531a to the Penal Code, relating to executions. Provides that any person having been served with a writ of execution in any civil case and who has in his possession at the time of the levy of such writ any money, credits, funds or properties due, owning or belonging to the therein named debtor and who states or reports to the officer serving the writ of execution, that there is nothing due or belonging to the debtor in his possession or who knowingly attempts to con-

ceal any such property, credits or funds, due or belonging to the judgment debtor, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

Note. The word "owning" should be changed to "owing" and the word "debtor" should be added after the word "judgment", in line 11 of the printed bill.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 965. LYMAN.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2331b.

Amends the Motor Vehicle Act of 1915. The amendments are so numerous and technical that a digest will not be attempted here.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

A. B. 966. ROCK.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2936f.

Repeals the act of 1921, relating to hand rails and footboards on engine cabs.

To Committee on Public Utilities.

A. B. 967. ROCK.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2936g.

Repeals the act of 1921, relating to clearance between the overhang of the roof of the cab and the top of the tender on locomotives.

To Committee on Public Utilities.

A. B. 968. ROCK.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2936.

Repeals the act of 1911, relating to hours of labor of conductors, etc.

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

A. B. 969. ROCK.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2936e.

Repeals the act of 1917, requiring the equipment of steam locomotives with automatic bell-ringing devices.

To Committee on Public Utilities.

A. B. 970. ROCK.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2936a.

Repeals the act of 1913, regulating head lights on locomotives.

To Committee on Public Utilities.

A. B. 971. ROCK.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2936d.

Repeals act of 1915, prescribing a certain kind of water glass for use on steam locomotives.

To Committee on Public Utilities.

A. B. 972. STEVENOT.

Declares the county road extending from a point where it connects with the Mother Lode highway at Angels Camp, in Calaveras County, to be a State highway and places the same under the supervision and control of the State Highway Commission. **No terminus is given.**

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 973. COOMBS.

Amends Sec. 1734b of the Pol. Code, relating to formation of high school districts. **Eliminates** from the present section the words, "not later than August 31, 1921", and the words "and provided further that no common school district shall be annexed unless the nearest point of such common school district lies within ten miles of a high school district", after the word "located", in line 16, page 1 of the printed bill.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 974. COOMBS.

Amends 19x13 of the Juvenile Court Law, relating to the salary of the probation officer of Napa County.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 975. EDWIN BAKER.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2643.

Amends Sec. 15 of the Teachers' Retirement Salary Act of 1913. Adds to the present section the words, "and those with similar experience obtained in state schools outside of California", lines 18 and 19 of the printed bill.

The word "salary" should be inserted in the title of this act between the words "retirement" and "fund".

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 976. DONOHUE.

Amends Sec. 636 of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game. The section is changed in many particulars and much matter is omitted and new matter added and in general the requirements are made more stringent.

To Committee on Fish and Game

A. B. 977. DONOHUE.

Amends Sec. 626 of the Penal Code, relating to protection of game. The amendment **eliminates** the word "sixteenth" and **substitutes** the word "first.", in lines 11 and 25, page 1 of the printed bill. **Eliminates** the words "or cottontail or brush rabbits," after the word

"quail", in line 14, page 1, and **adds** the following: "or who between the sixteenth day of January and the thirty-first day of October, both dates inclusive, of any year, hunts, pursues, takes, kills or destroys or has in his possession any cottontail or brush rabbits;" lines 14 to 18, page 1.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 978. **DONOHUE.**

Amends Sec. 632 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish. **Adds** to the present section the following words "in fish and game districts 1, 1b, 1c, 1d, 1e, 1f, 1g, 1h, 1i, 1j, 1k, 1l, 1m, 12a, and 12b.", lines 3, 4 and 5, page 1 of the printed bill. **Eliminates** the words, "April 30th" and inserts in lieu thereof the words, "March 31st.", line 6, page 1. All the matter appearing on lines 9 to 28, both inclusive, page 1, and lines 1 to 13, both inclusive, page 2, is new material relating to seasons in different fish and game districts. **Eliminates** the words "or within 300 feet of the outlet of any lake," after the word "lake", in line 38, page 2. **Eliminates** the words "two and one-half" after the word "two", in line 43, page 2. **Strikes out** the word "twenty-five," and inserts in lieu thereof, the word "fifty", in line 49, page 2. **Adds** the word "seven" after the word "six", in line 52, page 2 of the printed bill. **Eliminates** the following: "in tidewater in fish and game districts 2, 3 and 10, five trout per day, regardless of weight, can be taken and possessed between December 15 and the last day of February of the year following, both dates inclusive" after word "further", in line 4, page 3, and inserts in lieu thereof the following: "that it shall be lawful to take, catch, kill or have in possession not more than five trout regardless of weight, during any one calendar day, between December 15 and the last day of February of the following year, both dates inclusive, in fish and game districts 2 and 2a and 10;," lines 4 to 8, inclusive, page 3. **Eliminates** the provisions in the present section relating to shipment of trout from an open district into a closed district under the regulations prescribed in the section.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 979. **DONOHUE.**

New General Law. The title states that the bill **authorizes** the creation of road and highway districts within counties to include both incorporated and unincorporated territory, provides for the government of such districts, authorizes the raising of funds within such districts for road and highway purposes, and provides for the issuance of district bonds.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 980. BROMLEY.

New General Law. Provides that all boards or commissions authorized by law to be appointed by the Governor, except such boards or commissions as are authorized under the constitution of the State of California, shall hold office at the pleasure of the Governor. Repeals all acts in conflict.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 981. BROMLEY.

Amends Secs. 360a, 360b, 360d of the Pol. Code, relating to the Department of Finance. 360a is amended by striking out the word "six" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "seven", in line 8, page 1 of the printed bill. The following words are added to the present section: "and the division of charities and corrections.", lines 12 and 13, page 1. 360b is amended by adding the following: "the chief of the division of charities and corrections shall receive an annual salary of \$----- and before entering upon the duties of his office he shall execute an official bond to the State of California in the penal sum of ----- dollars.", lines 13 to 17, inclusive, page 2. In 360d the words "State Board of Charities and Corrections," are added in line 32, page 2, and in lines 4 and 5, 23 and 24, page 3.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 982. BROMLEY.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 756.

Amends the Corporation License Tax Act of 1915.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Corporations.

A. B. 983. BROMLEY.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1700.

Amends Secs. 6, 16 and 17 of the Corporate Securities Act of 1917.

Sec. 6 is amended by the **addition** of the following: "The commissioner may also, pending a hearing or investigation before him of any charges against a broker or agent which, if sustained, would constitute cause for the revocation of such broker's or agent's certificate issued by him, suspend such broker's or agent's certificate; provided, however, that such suspension shall not be for a period longer than 30 days.", lines 16 to 21, inclusive, page 1 of the printed bill. Sec. 16 is amended by **adding** thereto the following: "including stenographic reporters to take testimony in any formal hearing or investigation before the commissioner or authorized by him.", line 26, page 1, and lines 1 and 2, page 2. Sec. 17 is amended by adding thereto the following, in lines 39 to 45, inclusive, page 2: "The commissioner may pay out of the revolving fund to any witness subpoenaed by him the necessary and reasonable traveling expenses of such witness from his place of residence to the place of hearing or

investigation and a per diem of ----- dollars for each day that such witness is in attendance at or en route to such place of hearing or investigation in obedience to such subpoena.”

Note. Evidently some matter has been omitted from this section that should be included and an amendment is suggested.

To Committee on Corporations.

A. B. 984. SMITH.

Amends Sec. 1279 of the C. C. P., relating to decrees changing names. The amendment eliminates the words “or corporations.”, in line 5 of the printed bill.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 985. SMITH.

Amends Sec. 4232 of the Pol. Code. Alameda County Government Act.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 986. SMITH.

Amends Sec. 4190 of the Pol. Code, relating to Law Library Fund. Adds the following to the present section: “Except, however, the filing of a petition for letters of adoption and the filing of a disclaimer.” after the word “appeal”, in lines 5 and 6 of the printed bill.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 987. SMITH.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2232.

Adds Sec. 18 to the Act of 1911, providing for the leasing of lands uncovered by the recession of the waters of inland lakes and streams. Provides that the preceding sections shall not be deemed to relate to State lands submerged by salt tidal waters and permits the Surveyor General to execute leases of such lands not located within the limits of any incorporated city or town. Prohibits the leasing for a longer period than 50 years and each lease must reserve to the public the right and easement to use the water over the leased lands for navigation and fishing and for the purpose of the erection and maintenance of wharves and docks and for the rights of way for public highways.

To Committee on Mines and Mining.

A. B. 988. CARLSON.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2143e.

Amends Sec. 51 of the Workmen's Compensation Act of 1917.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 989. CARLSON.

New General Law. Requires the registration of private and public employment agencies. Sec. 1 defines certain terms used in the act, including the term "employment agency". Sec. 2 prohibits any person transacting such business unless they are first registered with the State Bureau of Labor Statistics. Sec. 3 provides for an investigation of such applicant. Sec. 4 makes it the duty of such person to keep proper books and records. Sec. 5 permits the Commissioner of Labor to secure true copies of such records. Sec. 6 provides that the agency shall furnish certain information to persons seeking employment. Sec. 7 prohibits the issuing of any contract of employment containing terms or conditions in violation of any law. Sec. 8 grants the Commissioner of Labor power to prescribe and regulate rules for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act. Sec. 9 grants to the Commissioner of Labor the power and authority of sheriffs and other peace officers, to make arrests and to serve any process or notice throughout the State. Sec. 10 makes violation a misdemeanor and upon conviction prescribes a fine of not less than \$50 or more than \$250 or imprisonment for a period not more than sixty days or by both such fine and imprisonment. Provides that all fines collected for such violations shall be paid into the State Treasury and credited to the contingent fund of the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

A. B. 990. CARLSON.

Amends Sec. 2871 of the Pol. Code, relating to toll bridges. The section as amended provides that on the hearing of the application, the board of supervisors shall require the applicant to produce the following: 1. A copy of articles of incorporation, certified by the Secretary of State, or by the clerk where they are filed. 2. A bond in favor of the county wherein said license is requested, in an amount to be determined by the board of supervisors, that said bridge will be built in a reasonable time and that said applicant will comply favorably with all laws relating to the construction of toll bridges within the State of California. 3. Plans and specifications of said proposed bridge and estimation of costs. 4. A map or plat showing the location of the approach to said bridge.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 991. CARLSON.

Amends Sec. 2872 of the Pol. Code, relating to toll bridges. The section as amended provides that it shall be the duty of the board of supervisors to immediately grant a franchise to any applicant complying with Sec. 2871 of the Pol. Code.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 992. CARLSON.

Amends Sec. 2878 of the Pol. Code, relating to toll bridges. Amends the present section by striking out the words "such tolls as the board of supervisors of the county or counties," after the word "require", and inserts in lieu thereof the words, "such tolls as the railroad commission of the State of California.", line 12 of the printed bill.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 993. CARLSON.

Amends Sec. 2873 of the Pol. Code, relating to toll bridges. The section is revamped and as amended makes it the duty of the Highway Commission of the State of California at the time any applicant shall have received a license to construct a toll bridge under the provisions of the sections of this code, to require that the bridge be constructed of a certain width, character, or description and of certain materials, and the applicant holding such license must comply with provisions of this section before the actual construction of said bridge shall be commenced.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 994. DONOHUE.

New General Law. The title states that the bill is for the purpose of regulating exchanges organized for establishing the market price and regulating the marketing of perishable agricultural products and providing for the enforcement and prescribing penalties for the violation of this act.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Agriculture.

A. B. 995. ROSENSHINE.

Amends Secs. 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 204, 204c, 210, 214, 219, and 246 of the C. C. P., relating to jurors. The amendment to Sec. 198 adds the word "in", line 10, page 1 of the printed bill. The amendment to Sec. 199 strikes out the word "or" and inserts the word "of", line 17, page 1. Adds subdivision fifth, lines 5 to 11, inclusive, page 2. The amendment to Sec. 200 in subdivision eleventh thereof, strikes out the word "national" before the word "guard", line 38, page 2. Revamps subdivision thirteenth of said section to read as follows: "A person who is not competent to act as juror, for any reason prescribed in section one hundred ninety-nine. The matter appearing in lines 4 to 13, inclusive, page 3, is new and is added to Sec. 201. The amendment to Sec. 202 adds the following matter to said sections: words "disqualified" and "one hundred ninety-nine" appearing in lines 16 and 17, page 3. Adds the following "the facts upon which he claims his disqualification or exemption from jury duty," lines 21 and

2, page 3. Strikes out the word "where" and inserts the words "in which", line 23, page 3. Adds the last two words, line 26 and all of lines 27, 28 and 29, page 3. The amendment to Sec. 204 adds the words "suitable and competent", line 51, page 3. Sec. 204c is evamped. Provides for examination of persons as to their qualifications to act as jurors, by the jury commissioner. Permits jury commissioner to issue subpoena for such appearance before him. Provides for service of such subpoena by sheriff or other competent person. Makes failure to appear before such jury commissioner a contempt of court, and provides that for such disobedience to the subpoena, the person shall forfeit all exemptions under subdivision fifth of Sec. 199, for a period of one year. Permits administering of oath by jury commissioner. Makes refusal to answer questions, a contempt of court, and provides for hearing before superior court. Allows jury commissioner his actual traveling expenses incurred in the performance of his duty. The amendment to Sec. 210 adds the last two words, line 13 and all of lines 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, and 19, page 5. The amendment to Sec. 214 adds the words "which number shall not be less than forty", last word in line 28, and first seven words in line 29, page 5. Adds the last five words in line 30, all of lines 31 to 39, inclusive, and first six words in line 40, page 5. Adds the words "trial" before jury, and "panel" before shall, line 43, page 5. In the amendment to Sec. 219, subdivision first, lines 48 to 52, inclusive, page 5, and lines 1 to 32, inclusive, page 6, is new matter. Provides a method of examination of the department trial jury box of a department of the superior court where there is more than one department of such court. Provides for examination of persons serving as prospective jurors where they do not answer to the calling of their names. Makes refusal of sheriff or clerk to summon said prospective jurors, a contempt of court. Makes failure of prospective juror to appear, also a contempt of court, and provides for forfeiture by such prospective jurors, of the exemptions, under subdivision fifth of Sec. 199 for a period of one year. The present subdivision first is subdivision second of the section in the printed bill. Strikes out the words "are ordered by the court" and inserts in lieu thereof the words "are necessary to complete the trial jury", lines 36 and 37, page 6. The present subdivision second is subdivision third, and the present subdivision third is subdivision fourth of the section as amended by this bill. The same is somewhat rearranged, the words appearing in lines 41 and 42, page 6 of the printed bill, appearing in the body of subdivision third of the present section. The words "disqualified or" are added before the word "exempt", line 45, page 6. The word "omitted" is stricken out and the word "stricken" inserted in lieu thereof, line 47, page 6. The last five words in line 52, page 6, and lines 1 and 2 and the first word in line 3, page 7, are added. The amendment to Sec. 246 eliminates from the present section the words "provided that it may be left to the discretion of the court to accept an affidavit of excuse under section two hundred two of this code, without a personal appearance in court of the juror summoned," after the word summoned, line 15, page 7.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 996. ROSENSHINE.

Appropriates \$----- to erect a branch of the State Library in San Francisco, to be known as the Sutro Library. This appropriation is contingent upon the donation of the land to the State of California upon which such building is to be erected.

To Committee on Libraries.

A. B. 997. DONOHUE.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1040

An act to amend the County Engineer Act of 1919.

SKELETON BILL.

Note. This act was declared unconstitutional in *Coulter vs. Poole*, 187 Cal. 181.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 998. DONOHUE.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1449a

An act to amend the Boulevard District Act of 1911.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 999. KLINE.

This is the Budget Bill and under the constitution of the State of California must be presented in both the Senate and Assembly; by the Chairman of the Finance Committee in the Senate and the Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means in the Assembly. The Senate bill is number 459.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

A. B. 1000. BROMLEY.

New General Law. Makes it unlawful to seek or solicit the business of collecting any claim for damages for personal injury or death sustained within this State. Declares violation to be a misdemeanor and prescribes penalties.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1001. MORRISON.

Amends Sec. 636 of the Penal Code. Adds the paragraph in lines 9 to 15, inclusive, page 1 of the printed bill, which makes it a misdemeanor to catch or kill any shad, salmon or striped bass other than by hook and line, in the Sacramento River above the Rio Vista bridge, or any of its tributaries, or in the San Joaquin River or any of its tributaries above the mouth of the Mokelumne River.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 1002. ERB.

Amends Sec. 528 of the Pol. Code. Requires 1500 copies of the laws of each session to be printed instead of 2250 as the section now requires. The change is made in line 4, page 1 of the bill. The words "two hundred and forty copies in Spanish." are omitted after the sentence in line 21, page 2.

To Committee on Revision and Printing.

A. B. 1003. WELLER.

New General Law. Authorizes the Board of Control to take charge of and manage a certain tract of land in Los Angeles for the benefit of the State and its institutions.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on State Grounds and Parks.

A. B. 1004. McPHERSON.

New General Law. Abolishes the office of attorney for the State Bureau of Labor Statistics and **repeals** all acts in conflict.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 1005. McPHERSON.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2664.

Amends Sec. 5 of the Pharmacy Act of 1905. Reduces the members of the board from seven to three; makes their term of office at the pleasure of the Governor instead of four years, and requires that the secretary and treasurer shall give bond to the State in amount to be fixed by the board with the approval of the Governor instead of giving bond to the board itself.

To Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

A. B. 1006. McPHERSON.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 3872.

New General Law. Provides for the reversion of unexpended balance of certain appropriations and repeals a similar act approved in 1921 (Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 3872). **Substitutes** the word "two" for the word "four", in line 3 of the bill, and adds the following words beginning in line 15: "or, appropriations made for any State building or the equipment thereof."

To Committee on Ways and Means.

A. B. 1007. MRS. SAYLOR.

Amends Sec. 1687 of the Pol. Code. The amendment provides that all elementary school teachers, not including principals, vice principals, supervisors of subjects, and teachers of classes established and maintained under the provisions of subdivision sixth of Sec. 1662 or

Sec. 1618 of this code, shall be paid at the same rate making allowance for years and experience.

The section as it now stands **provides** that in all schools having more than two teachers, beginners shall be taught by teachers having at least two years' experience or who are normal school graduates, and such teachers in cities shall rank in point of salary with those of assistant teachers in the highest grade in the grammar schools.

The amendment makes it unlawful for the county superintendent of schools or county auditor to approve or allow any warrant drawn in violation of this section.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 1008. MRS. SAYLOR.

Amends Sec. 1662 of the Pol. Code. The words "and one-half years" are **added** in line 17, page 1 of the bill. This change **raises** the age of admission to the kindergarten from four to four and one-half years. At the end of subdivision sixth the following sentence is **added**: "Children who are so mentally deficient as not to be teachable in public schools may be excluded from such schools under rules adopted by the State Board of Education." That part of the section commencing with subdivision seventh, relating to registration week for minors, is **omitted**.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 1009. DAWSON.

New General Law. Appropriates \$20,000 for the purpose of cooperating with Los Angeles County in the construction and maintenance of fire lanes and trails on watersheds of Los Angeles County which are not included within a national forest. Half of this sum shall be expended in each of the next two fiscal years on condition that a like amount be expended by Los Angeles County.

To Committee on Conservation.

A. B. 1010. CHRISTIAN.

Appropriates a blank amount to be used by the State Labor Commissioner for the clerical and commercial department for the State Board of Labor Statistics in San Francisco.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

A. B. 1011. MRS. WOODBRIDGE. Deer. Gen. L. No. 3952 and 2137.

Amends Sec. 1 of the act of 1893, providing for one day of rest from labor. Adds the words "or permit", in lines 6 and 7 of the printed bill.

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

A. B. 1012. MRS. WOODBRIDGE.

Amends Sec. 626 of the Penal Code. The amendment changes the open season for certain game birds and the districts in which they may be hunted.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 1013. WRIGHT.

Amends Sec. 4157 of the Pol. Code, relating to sheriffs' duties.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 1014. DONOHUE.

Adds Sec. 257a to the Penal Code. Makes it a misdemeanor, for anyone to publish in any printed matter for the purpose of collection or adjustment for profit the name of any person indebted to such publisher without the consent of such person, punishable by a fine of not more than \$1,000 or by imprisonment for not more than one year or by both. All persons concerned in said publication, either as owner, manager, editor, publisher or otherwise are each responsible.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1015. T. A. MITCHELL, AND HORNBLOWER.

New General Law. Makes it unlawful for an insurance carrier transacting the business of compensation insurance to compute, assess or collect any premiums based upon that part of the wage of any employee or workman which is in excess of the maximum compensation which may be paid to such workman.

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 1016. SCOTT.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1457w.

Amends the title and the Act of 1919 establishing a State highway to the Nevada State line. Changes the description of the course of said highway by providing it shall go by the most practical route to the Nevada State line instead of over Prosser Creek and the "Dog Valley Grade".

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 1017. NOYES.

Adds Sec. 737zzz to Pol. Code. Increases the salary of the superior judge of Sutter County from \$4,000 to \$5,000 per annum.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1018. REINDOLLAR.

New General Law. Appropriates \$2,500 out of the fish and game preservation fund for the purpose of restoring the channel of Paper Mill Creek in Marin County near where it empties into Tomales Bay to the original course as filled by said creek prior to April, 1906. Places the Fish and Game Commission in charge of said work, which shall be commenced during the summer months of 1923.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

A. B. 1019. REINDOLLAR.

Adds Sec. 737zz to the Pol. Code. Increases the salary of the superior judge in Marin County from \$5,000 to \$6,000 per annum.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1020. SCHMIDT.

Adds Sec. 981a to the C. C. P. Provides that if an appeal from a justice to a superior court is not brought to trial by the appellant within one year after filing such appeal the action must be dismissed by the court on its own motion or on the motion of any interested party whether named in the complaint or not, provided that any appeal pending when this section takes effect shall not be dismissed sooner than January 1, 1924. The word "act" in line 13 should be amended to read "section."

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1021. SCHMIDT.

Amends Sec. 871 of the C. C. P. The amendment adds the words "or having raised an issue of fact, fails to appear at the time of trial, or within one hour thereafter," beginning in line 4 of the printed bill, and the words "or proof of notice of trial, the default of defendant must be entered and," beginning in line 7, and the words "from which no appeal can be taken on questions of fact" in line 9.

The probable effect of the amendment is to provide for a default absolute in any of the cases mentioned in the section and to add an additional ground for a default, namely: when the defendant fails to appear at the time of trial although he has answered.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1022. J. W. JOHNSTON.

Deer. Gen. L. Snp. No. 2827.

Amends all of the sections, except Secs. 1 and 16, of the Public Utility District Act of 1921. The date of approval should be amended to read May 31, 1921.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

A. B. 1023. J. W. JOHNSTON.

Appropriates \$2,000 for the rock crusher and pulverizer at the Folsom State Prison.

To Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

A. B. 1024. J. W. JOHNSTON.

Appropriates \$1,250 for an ice house at the Folsom State Prison.

To Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

A. B. 1025. J. W. JOHNSTON.

Appropriates \$2,000 for contingent requirements and emergencies at the Folsom State Prison.

To Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

A. B. 1026. J. W. JOHNSTON.

Appropriates \$9,250 for the repair of cottages at the Folsom State Prison.

To Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

A. B. 1027. J. W. JOHNSTON.

Appropriates \$3,500 for repairing of electrical equipment, hydraulic pumping outfit, and fittings for same at the Folsom State Prison.

To Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

A. B. 1028. J. W. JOHNSTON.

Appropriates \$10,000 for the erection of six cottages for guards at the Folsom State Prison.

To Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

A. B. 1029. J. W. JOHNSTON.

Appropriates \$12,000 for general repairs and improvements for two years, at \$500 per month, at the Folsom State Prison.

To Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

A. B. 1030. J. W. JOHNSTON.

Appropriates \$10,000 for the completion of buildings and the extension of walls at the Folsom State Prison.

To Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

A. B. 1031. BERNARD.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1229.

Amends the Act of 1905 providing for the sale of street railroad and other franchises in counties and municipalities. The title should be amended so that the words "State railroads" would read "street railroad".

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Public Utilities.

A. B. 1032. BERNARD.

Amends Sec. 1131 of the Pol. Code. Adds the following sentence beginning in line 16 of the printed bill: "All elections must be held on the ground floors of buildings, unless such buildings where elections are to be held are equipped with elevators, so that the polling places shall be easy of access to all qualified voters."

To Committee on Elections.

A. B. 1033. BERNARD.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1770a.

Amends Sec. 19x42 of the Juvenile Court Law. Increases the salary of the probation officer in Colusa County from \$10 to \$75 per month.

A. B. 1034. COOMBS.

New General Law. Provides for the creation of the "California State Historical Association" and appropriates \$15,000 for the support thereof during the next two fiscal years.

The purpose of such association shall be to promote interest in the history of the State; it shall examine and report upon all matters of historical significance and publish reports dealing with the missions and other historical landmarks and assist in their preservation; it shall encourage the study and teaching of California history in the schools and colleges of the State.

The board of trustees shall consist of five citizens appointed by the Governor, one of whom shall be nominated by the Board of Regents of the University of California, one by the board of grand officers of the Native Sons, one by the Historical Society of Southern California and two members by the California State Historical Association, all subject to the approval of the Governor. Repeals all acts in conflict. See Stats. 1921, p. 588.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 1035. HAWES.

Deer. Gen. Law Sup. No. 2331b.

Amends Secs. 6 and 7 of the Motor Vehicle Act of 1915. The amendment to Sec. 6 provides that all operator's licenses shall expire June 30th of each year and be renewed annually.

The amendment to Sec. 7 **raises** the fee for a chauffeur's license from two to four dollars and **provides** a fee of two dollars for an original operator's license, lines 14 and 15, page 3 of the printed bill. The fee for a duplicate operator's license is **raised** from twenty-five cents to fifty cents (line 26). The last paragraph of Sec. 7, which provides the fees which shall be paid for registration during certain periods of the year, is **omitted** from the section.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

A. B. 1036. MORRIS.

Amends Sec. 232 of the C. C. P., relating to jurors in justices' courts. At the end of the section **adds** the words "and the manner in which each person was notified."

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1037. MORRIS.

Amends Sec. 231 of the C. C. P., relating to jurors in justices' courts. The amendment **substitutes** the word "in" for the word "of" in line 4 of the bill, and the word "township" for "town" in line 5. That part of the section beginning with the last word in line 7 is **added** and **provides** that in addition to summoning jurors orally, a written notice may be left at their place of residence with some person of proper age or sent by registered mail.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1038. MORRIS.

Amends Sec. 2924 of the Civil Code, relating to mortgages and deeds of trust.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1039. MORRIS.

New General Law. **Invests** the Industrial Accident Commission with all the duties, powers, etc., of the State Mining Bureau except those of the department of petroleum and gas. Provides that all laws referring to the State Mining Bureau, except such as relate to the department of petroleum and gas, shall be construed to apply to the Industrial Accident Commission.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 1040. MORRIS.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. 2331b.

Amends Secs. 1 to 3, 6 to 9, 11 to 13, 15, 16, 20, 22, 24 to 29, 32, 36 and 37 of the Motor Vehicle Act of 1915. This bill is so long and the amendments are so involved that a digest will not be attempted

here. A separate digest will be prepared, however, covering A. B. 1040, A. B. 965 and S. B. 115, all relating to the regulation of motor vehicles.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

A. B. 1041. MATHEWS.

New General Law. Appropriates \$8,000 for a preliminary survey of the territory known as the "Lassen National Volcanic Park"; authorizes the Department of Public Works to cooperate with the national park service of the United States in such survey. The money appropriated shall not become available until the United States government deposits \$3,000 in the state treasury for the same purpose and it shall then be expended under the direction of the United States government.

The word "extended" in line 14 should be amended to read "expended."

To Committee on State Grounds and Parks.

A. B. 1042. WEST.

Amends Sec. 496b of the Penal Code, which provides that second-hand book dealers who buy any book, or any books, manuscripts, etc., bearing the mark of any library, college or university without ascertaining by diligent inquiry that the person selling has a legal right to do so is guilty of receiving stolen property in the first degree if such property be of more than \$50 in value and guilty in the second degree if such property be \$50 or under in value.

Punishment for the first degree to be imprisonment for not more than one year or by fine of not more than twice the value of the property received or by both, and for the second degree by imprisonment not more than one month or by a similar fine or by both.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1043. SCOTT.

Amends Sec. 618 of the Pol. Code. Provides that deposits required to be made by foreign insurance companies shall be made with the State Treasurer instead of with the Insurance Commissioner and makes changes throughout the section accordingly. The following words "and from time to time withdraw any such securities so deposited," are **added** in lines 25 and 26, page 1 of the bill, and seem to be superfluous; the words "and complete" are **added** in line 8, page 2, and the words "by such mortgages or trust deeds" in line 21.

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 1044. MUELLER.

New General Law. The title states that the bill provides for the establishment of a whole-time health department in counties of the

fifth class; defines such department and makes an appropriation therefor.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 1045. MUELLER.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 2887.

Amends Secs. 24, 30 and 31 of the Public Utility District Act of 1921. The amendment to Sec. 24 provides that the board of directors may determine to have the duties of its treasurer performed by the county treasurer. As it now stands, the section is not clearly worded on this point and seems to imply that it is obligatory upon the board to so determine.

The amendment to Sec. 30 inserts the words "fire protection" in line 22, page 2 of the printed bill, the effect of which is to permit public utility districts to supply fire protection to the inhabitants of said district.

The amendment to Sec. 31 substitutes the word "twice" for the words "two weeks" in line 25, page 5 of the printed bill. The word "for" in this line should be amended out. In line 14, page 6 of the printed bill, the words "thirty-one" are substituted for the words "thirty-six," which is evidently an error in the act as it now stands.

To Committee on Public Utilities.

A. B. 1046. MUELLER.

Amends Sec. 4041f of the Pol. Code, relating to the powers of boards of supervisors.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 1047. WEST.

Amends Sec. 310 of the Penal Code. Adds the following sentence at the beginning of the section: "It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to use or cause to be used the national emblems—the eagle and the Stars and Stripes—as part of any insignia or label for commercial purposes or trade label." In line 8 of the printed bill the word "any" is substituted for the word "an."

To Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs.

A. B. 1048. BROMLEY.

New General Law. The title states that the bill provides for the regulation of the sale of bonds of reclamation and irrigation districts under the supervision of the State Superintendent of Banks.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Banking.

A. B. 1049. McPHERSON.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1732b.

Amends Secs. 2 and 3 of the Irrigation District Bond Act of 1913. Substitutes the word "fifty" for the word "sixty" in line 16, page 2 of the printed bill and also in line 43.

To Committee on Banking.

A. B. 1050. McPHERSON.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1726.

Amends Secs. 47 and 47½ of the Irrigation District Act of 1897. The amendment to Sec. 47 changes the equity of redemption from three years to one year. The change is made in line 9, page 1 of the bill. In the same line the word "in" is omitted, which should appear before the word "interest" in order to make the meaning clear. Beginning in line 9, page 2, to the end of the sentence in line 18 the proviso is added that the tax collector, at least three months prior to the expiration of the period of redemption, shall mail to the owners of such property a notice specifying the date of such expiration; the failure of the collector to mail such notice shall not invalidate any sale hereunder.

The amendment to Sec. 47½ substitutes the word "one" for the word "five" in lines 23 and 38, page 2 of the printed bill, the effect of which is to make this section correspond to the amendment to Sec. 47.

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 1051. McDOWELL.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 2331d.

Amends Sec. 1 of the Jitney Bus Act of 1917. In line 22, page 1, the word "or," which would immediately precede the word "as," is omitted. The probable effect of this change is to provide that the term "transportation company" refers only to the automobiles mentioned when operated as common carriers. The words "by a transportation company," which would occur after the word "operated" in line 20, page 2 of the printed bill, are omitted.

To Committee on Public Utilities.

A. B. 1052. McDOWELL.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 2143c.

Amends Sec. 46½ of the Workmen's Compensation Act of 1917. Adds the words "or equipment" in line 7, in lines 10 and 11, in lines 14 and 15, page 1 of the printed bill. In line 7 the word "to" is substituted for the word "of." In lines 24 and 25, page 1, the words "place of employment, machine, device, apparatus, or equipment" are substituted for the word "machine" and the same change is made in lines 3 and 4, and lines 6 and 7, page 2 of the printed bill. The matter beginning with the sentence in line 8, page 2 of the bill, to and including line 18, is added, which provides that every employer, workman or other person who, after a notice is posted that a place of employment, apparatus, etc., is unsafe, uses the same or destroys the

notice is guilty of a misdemeanor. All fines collected under this provision to be paid into the "accident prevention fund."

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 1053. McDOWELL.

Adds Sec. 1168 to the Penal Code. Provides that in sentencing any one to a state prison the court shall not fix the duration of the period of imprisonment. The judge and district attorney shall obtain all information that is possible regarding the career, habits, degree of education, age, nativity, nationality, parentage and previous occupation of such convicted person and state to the best of their knowledge whether such person was industrious, of good character, and the nature of his associates and disposition. One year after confinement of such person the governing authority of the prison shall determine for what length of time such person shall be confined unless the sentence be sooner terminated by commutation or pardon; the period of confinement shall not exceed the maximum or be less than the minimum term now provided by law.

The board of prison directors shall make all necessary rules and regulations to carry out the provisions of this section. Any convicted person undergoing sentence not sooner released under the provisions of this section shall, in accordance with the provisions of the existing law, be discharged on serving the maximum period.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1054. KLINE.

Amends Sec. 3764 of the Pol. Code, relating to the publication of delinquent tax lists.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Revision and Printing.

A. B. 1055. WHITACRE (by request).

Adds Sec. 1255b to the C. C. P. Provides that where the plaintiff has been in possession of property sought to be condemned and the action has been dismissed or abandoned, the plaintiff shall pay interest on an amount equal to the verdict or decision for a period of time beginning with the commencement of the proceeding and ending with the dismissal or abandonment if such proceeding has been pending more than one year, and if the proceeding has been pending less than one year then for the period that the plaintiff has been in possession.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1056. WHITACRE (by request).

Amends Sec. 305 of the Civil Code, relating to the powers of private corporations. Beginning in line 23 of the printed bill the following

sentence is **inserted**: "Directors of cooperative societies formed for agricultural purposes may be elected by the members according to districts as may be prescribed in the by-laws of such agricultural societies."

To Committee on Corporations.

A. B. 1057. WHITACRE (by request). Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 4349a.

Amends the Act of 1913, providing for the formation of water districts.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 1058. BROMLEY.

Amends Sec. 360b of the Pol. Code. Increases the salary of the Chief of the Division of Motor Vehicles from \$3,600 to \$4,800 per annum.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 1059. BROMLEY.

Appropriates to the "Motor Vehicle Fund" the sum of \$200.35 out of any money in the State treasury collected under the provisions of the Act of 1921, providing for the registration of aircraft. (Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 78j.)

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 1060. A. G. MITCHELL.

Appropriates to the "Motor Vehicle Fund" the sum of \$30,659.30 out of the operator's license fund.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 1061. MUELLER (by request).

Adds Sec. 1255c to the C. C. P., relating to condemnation proceedings. Said section reads as follows: "No proceeding commenced under this title in which there has been a trial and verdict or decision rendered shall be dismissed or abandoned by the plaintiff, where the proceeding has been pending five years."

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1062. MUELLER (by request).

Amends Sec. 1249 of the C. C. P., relating to proceedings in eminent domain. The amendment provides that in a case in which the issue is not tried within one year after commencement of the action, com-

compensation and damages shall be deemed to have accrued at a date, between the filing of the complaint and the date of trial, which the defendant may select in writing, filed with the clerk not less than thirty days before trial, or upon failure of such selection by the defendant then at the date of trial; as it now stands the section provides compensation and damages shall accrue at the date of trial.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1063. MUELLER (by request).

Amends Sec. 1248 of the C. C. P. Adds subdivision ninth to the section which provides that if a plaintiff has possession of the property sought to be taken during any of the time of the proceeding before verdict or decision, interest on the amount of the verdict or decision for such time of possession shall be included in the judgment. See A. B. No. 1062.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1064. CLEVELAND.

Amends Sec. 1543 of the Pol. Code. The evident intention of the amendment is to add a proviso to subdivision eighteenth of this section, but this subdivision has been left out entirely except for the proviso which states that the salary of any person appointed under the provisions of this subdivision shall not exceed the salary that the recipient received as a teacher at her next preceding employment and shall not be more than that of a deputy county superintendent in the county where the appointment is made.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 1065. C. C. BAKER.

Amends Sec. 632 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish. Raises the number of trout which may be caught in one day from 25 to 50 and the number of pounds from 10 to 12, line 22, page 2 of the printed bill.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 1066. FRANK JOHNSON.

New General Law. Provides for the regulation of the manufacturing and marketing of milk products and that the act shall be known as the "**Prepared Milk Act**"; defines condensed, evaporated or concentrated milk, condensed, evaporated or concentrated skimmed milk, and skim milk; makes it unlawful to manufacture, sell or possess with attempt to sell, any milk, cream, skimmed milk, buttermilk, condensed or evaporated milk, condensed skim milk, or any of the fluid derivatives of any of them to which has been added any fat or oil other than milk fat under the name of such products or under any fictitious or trade name.

Makes it **unlawful** to sell or possess for sale any condensed, evaporated or powdered skimmed milk in containers containing less than ten pounds avoirdupois; such container must bear the manufacturer's name and address and the words "condensed skimmed milk" or "powdered skimmed milk" as the case may be, in letters as large as any other letters appearing on said container; makes violation of the act punishable by imprisonment for not less than thirty nor more than sixty days or by a fine of not less than \$50 nor more than \$100 or by both; **charges** the State Director of Agriculture with the enforcement of the provisions of the act.

To Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

A. B. 1067. DAWSON.

Appropriates a blank sum for the construction of a suitable memorial commemorating the battle of San Gabriel River near Montebello; payment to be made to a **commission** of five appointed by the Governor.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

A. B. 1068. DAWSON.

Appropriates a blank sum for the construction of suitable memorials commemorating the battle of La Mesa near the town of Bell; payment to be made to a **commission** of five appointed by the Governor.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

A. B. 1069. WELLER.

The bill states that it is an amendment to Sec. 1369 "of the Civil Code"; this should be amended to read "of the Code of Civil Procedure."

The matter beginning with the word "or", in line 7, to and including line 12, of the printed bill, is **added**, which provides that any one against whom a charge of murder is pending, or of whom there is reasonable cause to believe guilty of murder, shall be incompetent to serve as an administrator or administratrix.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1070. WELLER.

Amends Sec. 224 of the Civil Code, relating to adoption of children. **Adds** a new subdivision first to the section leaving the other subdivisions as they now stand with a change in the numbering. The **added** subdivision provides that consent for adoption of a child is not necessary from a father whose marriage to the mother has been adjudged to be null and void.

To Committee on Judiciary.

B. 1071. WELLER.

Amends Sec. 1365 of the Civil Code. The bill states that it is an amendment to Sec. 1365 "of the Civil Code"; this should be amended to read "of the Code of Civil Procedure."

In line 10 of the printed bill the words "if competent," are added, the effect of which is to provide that the surviving husband or wife must be competent in order to appoint a person to administer in their stead.

To Committee on Judiciary.

B. 1072. WELLER.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1038.

Amends Sec. 11 of the Private Employment Agencies Act of 1913. Omits the requirement that "the time of such service, if definite and indefinite to be so stated," must be stated on the receipt issued by an employment agency. This would occur after the tenth word in line 6, page 2 of the printed bill. The last sentence of the present section requiring receipts used by employment agencies to be approved by the Commissioner of Labor is omitted.

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

B. 1073. LYMAN.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 2331b.

This bill attempts to amend paragraph (n) of Sec. 20 of the Motor Vehicle Act of 1915. The entire section should be set out.

Provides that a mechanical or electrical device used instead of hand and arm signals shall be capable of being seen and understood at a distance of fifty feet in sunlight and in darkness; that any vehicle operated during the period between one-half hour after sunset to one-half hour before sunrise or when the driver's compartment is so constructed as to hinder the giving of hand and arm signals, **must be equipped with a mechanical or electrical device** approved by the superintendent of the Motor Vehicle Department. That part of the subdivision designating the different hand signals is omitted.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

B. 1074. SPENCE.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 2887ba.

Amends Secs. 2 and 15 of the Municipal Utility District Act of 1921.

The amendment to Sec. 2 adds the paragraph on page 2 of the printed bill, lines 3 to 14, inclusive, which **provides** that in case of the proposed organization of a district composed of only one municipality together with unincorporated territory it shall be sufficient for a resolution to be passed by the municipality with a petition from the unincorporated territory.

The amendment to Sec. 15 **gives** the board of directors power by resolution to submit the propositions formulated under the provisions of subdivision fourth to the electors at a general or special election without the intervention of a petition (beginning with the sentence

in line 3, page 4 of the printed bill, to and including line 8).
lines 11 and 12, page 4, the following words are **added**: "or said resolution of the board of directors of the district,".

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 1075. SPENCE.

Amends Sec. 1304 of the C. C. P. Omits the words "resident in the State," which would occur immediately after the word "will"; in line 6 of the printed bill.

The **probable effect** of this amendment is to require notice of the time appointed for probate of a will to be sent to all heirs, devisees and legatees named in the will, whether within the State or not.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1076. SPENCE.

Adds Sec. 1593 to the C. C. P. Authorizes an executor, administrator or guardian to enter into any agreements or plans for the reorganization of any partnership or corporation whose securities such executor, administrator, or guardian holds, if after a petition requesting that the administrator, executor or guardian be allowed to enter into such reorganization and describing the nature thereof is presented to the court and a hearing had, permission to do so is granted by the court.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1077. SPENCE.

Amends Sec. 1526 of the C. C. P., relating to sales of personal property.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1078. SPENCE.

Amends Sec. 270 of the Penal Code, relating to failure to provide for minor children with food and other necessities.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1079. McDOWELL.

Appropriates \$15,600 to be used for the viticultural service in the Department of Agriculture.

To Committee on Agriculture.

A. B. 1080. McDOWELL.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1215.

Amends Secs. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 of the Act of 1907, creating the "United States Forest Reserve Fund".

Sec. 1 is **amended to include** moneys received by the government of the United States from the "forest reserves, oil land reserves and from the national forests, national parks, public lands and national monuments". As it now stands the section provides only for money received from the forest reserves. (Lines 9 to 11, 16 to 23, page 1, and lines 1 and 2, page 2, of the printed bill.)

Secs. 2 and 3 are **not changed** in any particular and are left as they now stand.

Sec. 4. The amendment **provides** that the 50 per cent of the money received by a county under the provisions of this act which is placed to the credit of the unapportioned county school fund may be appropriated by the county superintendent of schools as is necessary to a special fund for the construction and furnishing of school buildings and maintenance thereof in and contiguous to the forest reserves, oil land reserves, national forests, national parks, public lands and national monuments; the balance of the money thus added to the unapportioned county school fund shall be apportioned in the same manner as other county school fund moneys. The section as it now stands provides that all the money thus added to the unapportioned county school fund shall be used in the same manner as other county school fund moneys.

Sec. 5 as it now stands **provides** the act shall take effect immediately; as **amended** it repeals all acts in conflict.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 1081. McDOWELL.

Appropriates \$25,000 for the improvement of property at Huntington Lake, California, for the use of the State Teachers College of Fresno for summer sessions. Provides, however, that expenditures from this appropriation shall be made only for the improvement of property, the title to which is vested in the State.

To Committee on Normal Schools.

A. B. 1082. McDOWELL.

Appropriates \$150,000 for a dormitory for women at the Fresno State Teachers College.

To Committee on Normal Schools.

A. B. 1083. McDOWELL.

Appropriates \$35,000 for a cafeteria at the Fresno State Teachers College.

To Committee on Normal Schools.

A. B. 1084. McDOWELL.

Appropriates \$50,000 for the purchase and improvement of additional land for the Fresno State Teachers College.

To Committee on Normal Schools.

A. B. 1085. McDOWELL.

Appropriates \$10,000 for improvement to the streets and grounds at the Fresno State Teachers College.

To Committee on Normal Schools.

A. B. 1086. McDOWELL.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 2065.

Amends Sec. 1 of the act of 1907 requiring recording of maps of subdivisions of land for the purpose of sale. The amendment **omits** the requirement that the map must be drawn and attested by a civil engineer or licensed surveyor and that the engineer or surveyor must leave permanent monuments so that his survey may be retraced.

The section as it now stands **requires** such map to be filed when land is laid out for the purpose of selling the same by reference to a map or plat. The amendment **requires** such a map when the land is laid out for the purpose of sale and makes no mention whether such sale is by reference to a map or plat or not; also requires a duplicate to be filed.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1087. McDOWELL.

New General Law. Provides that a written agreement to settle by arbitration a controversy arising out of contract shall be valid save in case of an infant; such agreement may be to submit the controversy to two or more persons or to a court of record. The party aggrieved may petition the court in a summary way for an order directing such arbitration. Service of a five days' notice must be made upon the party in default; a jury may be had or the court may determine the issue if a jury is not demanded and direct the parties to proceed with arbitration. If in the agreement the method of arbitration is provided for, such method shall be followed. If none is mentioned the court shall appoint an arbitrator. The judgment of arbitration may be vacated or modified and the procedure therefor is provided. The word "and" in line 3, page 5 of the printed bill, should be "after." The effect of Sec. 17 is to postpone the time when the act can become effective. See Sec. 1, article IV of constitution. **Repeals** all acts in conflict.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1088. CARLSON.

Amends Sec. 636 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 1089. CARLSON.

Amends Sec. 634 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 1090. MRS. DORRIS.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1611b.

Amends Sec. 5 of the Child Labor Law of 1919. The date of approval should be amended to read "May 10, 1919."

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

A. B. 1091. MRS. DORRIS.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 3574a.

Amends Sec. 3a and 3c of the Compulsory Education Act of 1903.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 1092. MATHEWS.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1295d.

Amends Secs. 1, 2 and 4 of the Fish and Game District Act of 1917. Makes a reclassification and rearrangement of the fish and game districts of the state. The title and Sec. 1 should be amended to include the date of approval of the act repealed by the amended act, which is May 19, 1915. The date of approval of the amended act should be amended to read "May 28, 1917."

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 1093. CARLSON.

Amends Sec. 628a of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 1094. MATHEWS.

New General Law. Creates the "state board of forestry contingent fund," consisting of all moneys received by the forestry board from: (a) state parks; (b) state nurseries; (c) contributions for fire prevention; (d) donations; (e) any other revenue. Withdrawals from this fund to be made by the State Forester for any of the legal functions of the board. Upon the act taking effect all moneys in the state treasury received from any of the above sources shall be credited to such fund. This is a companion bill to S. B. 424.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 1095. ROCK.

Amends Sec. 643 of the Pol. Code, relating to the Fish and Game Commission. The section as it now stands provides that the fish and game commissioners shall receive no salary; the amendment provides that the president thereof shall receive \$4,000 per annum together with traveling and other expenses and shall devote his entire time to his office; he shall be appointed by the Governor. The other two commissioners shall receive actual traveling expenses and \$10 per day while in attendance at any meeting of the commission.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 1096. NOYES.

Amends Sec. 4263 of the Pol. Code. Yolo County Government Act.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 1097. BROMLEY.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 3868.

Amends the act of 1915 creating the State Purchasing Department.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 1098. BROMLEY.

Amends Secs. 718 and 719 of the Pol. Code, relating to employees of the Superintendent of Capitol Building and Grounds.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 1099. McPHERSON.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 420.

Amends the Toll Bridge Act of 1881. The title should be amended by inserting the words "an act entitled" after the word "amended" and by placing quotation marks around the title of the act amended.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

A. B. 1100. McPHERSON.

New General Law. The title states that the bill provides for the unification of contracts for public work.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1101. McPHERSON.

Amends Sec. 2639 of the Pol. Code, relating to the powers of supervisors over county roads and highways.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 1102. McPHERSON.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1458f.

Amends Sec. 35 of the Joint Highway District Act of 1917.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 1103. McPHERSON.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1465.

Amends Sec. 9 of the act of 1907, providing for work upon roads in unincorporated territory.

The date of approval should be amended to read March 21, 1907.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 1104. McPHERSON.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1448.

Amends Sec. 9 of the County Highway Commission Act of 1907.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 1105. McPHERSON.

Amends Sec. 2640 of the Pol. Code, relating to the power of boards of supervisors over roads and highways.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 1106. McPHERSON.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 2348.

Amends Secs. 107, 414, 536, 628, 777 and 874 of the Municipal Corporation Act of 1883.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 1107. McPHERSON.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2901.

Amends Secs. 1 to 11, inclusive, of the act of 1909 regulating contracts for work on state buildings and roads.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 1108. McPHERSON.

Amends Sec. 2644 of the Pol. Code, relating to reports to be made to supervisors.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 1109. McPHERSON.

Amends Sec. 4041 of the Pol. Code, relating to the general powers of the boards of supervisors.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 1110. CARTER.

Amends Secs. 1927 and 2086 of the Pol. Code. The amendment to Sec. 1927 omits mention of a "lieutenant-colonel, who shall be the assistant to the adjutant general, and such officers of the rank of major, not exceeding three in number, as may be necessary for the proper administration of the department." Provides that the adjutant general shall be either commissioned in the adjutant general's department or detailed from officers of other arms of the service or in the national guard reserve and such other officers as may be prescribed by the National Defense Act of June 3, 1916. Provides that all officers in the adjutant general's department shall be appointed by the Governor, taking into consideration the recommendation of the adjutant general, and, with the exception of the adjutant general, hold their positions until they have reached the age of sixty-four years, unless retired prior to that time by resignation, disability or cause determined by a courtmartial; provides that all officers appointed to the grade of major shall have served not less than two years as commissioned officers in the United States army, in the National Guard, or in both services combined. The present section provides only for service in the National Guard. Provides that the office force shall consist of one auditor, one personnel registrar, one property accountant, one record keeper (all civil executive officers), one stenographer, one clerk and one military storekeeper. The present section provides for one chief clerk, three clerks, one stenographer and clerk, one military storekeeper and one assistant storekeeper and porter. The amendment to Sec. 2086 omits mention of an assistant military storekeeper.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 1111. CARTER.

Deer, Gen. L. and Sup. No. 606.

Amends the Civil Service Act of 1913.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 1112. CARTER.

Purports to repeal the act of 1921 adding Sec. 3664e to the Pol. Code, providing for the collection of data and determination of values by the State Board of Equalization for taxation purposes and making an appropriation therefor.

The bill is **defective**, in that the section itself should be repealed instead of the act adding said section to the code.

To Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

A. B. 1113. HAWES, T. A. MITCHELL, BURNS, SCHMIDT, HORNBLOWER, FELLOM, SCOTT, ERB, MORRISON, MORRIS, ROSENSHINE, ROCK AND BADARACCO.

Appropriates \$300,000 for the establishment and maintenance in the Ferry building at San Francisco of a permanent exhibit of the products and resources of the state.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

A. B. 1114. PRENDERGAST.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 4294.

Amends all of the act of 1907 regulating the practice of veterinary medicine.

The amendment to Sec. 1 **adds** the word "veterinary" in line 7, page 2 of the printed bill. The words "and thereafter appointment shall be made for a period of four years," which would occur after the words "for four years," in line 13, page 2, are **omitted**.

The amendment to Sec. 2 **adds** the words "from its members," in line 20, page 2, and **substitutes** the words "veterinary colleges" for the words "medical schools" in lines 36 and 37, page 2, and the word "December" in line 44, page 2, for the word "July."

The amendment to Sec. 3 **changes** the wording at the beginning of the section and states specifically that it shall be unlawful for any person to practice veterinary medicine without a license. The license fee is **raised** from \$10 to \$20. The requirements that a college which has granted a diploma shall require at least two sessions of study of veterinary medicine of not less than six months each and that graduates of two-year colleges shall accompany their diploma by satisfactory evidence that they have practiced for five years subsequent to the issuance of such diploma, are **omitted**, as is the provision that any balance remaining in the fund of the board after payment of expenses shall be paid into the state school fund. The dates for holding examinations are **changed** from January, April, July and October to January and June.

Sees. 4, 5, 9 and 11 (which is renumbered 13 in the proposed act) have not been changed.

In the amendment to Sec. 6 the wording of the first part of the section is changed. It specifically states it shall be unlawful to practice without displaying a license. Practically the same change is made in Sec. 7 as to the use of letters after a person's name.

The amendment to Sec. 8 **inserts** the words "excepting as herein-after provided, for the payment of an annual license tax;" in lines 48,

49 and 50, page 4, and the words "or United States Bureau of Animal Industry," in line 52, page 4.

Sec. 10 is new and **provides** that for the purpose of creating a fund for the enforcement of the act every licensed veterinarian and every applicant for a license shall pay a license tax of two dollars per annum; failure to do so shall work a forfeiture of the license of such person. **Provides** for reinstatement and restoration of licenses. **Provides** that all fines or forfeitures of bail shall be deposited in the board of veterinary examiners' contingent fund.

Sec. 11 is the same as the present Sec. 10, with the **addition** of a minimum fine of fifty dollars and a minimum term of imprisonment of thirty days.

Sec. 12 is the present Sec. 13 revamped and with the **additional provisions** that the secretary of the board of veterinary examiners shall receive an annual salary of \$200 and expenses, that the members of the board shall receive traveling expenses and not exceeding ten dollars for each day of actual service, provided that the fees and receipts of the board are sufficient to meet this expense.

Sec. 14 **repeals** all acts in conflict.

To Committee on Agriculture.

A. B. 1115. EDWIN BAKER.

Adds Sec. 3066 to the Civil Code, relating to the sale of fertilizer. Gives any person selling commercial fertilizer or materials for destroying pests a lien upon the land upon which such materials are used. Ten days after the sale price is due such seller may record a notice, with the county recorder wherein such land is situated, of intention to claim a lien and all the facts and circumstances attending the sale, including a description of the land and a statement that if the sale price is not paid within thirty days after filing said notice said seller will file a lien on the land. If within such period the sale price remains unpaid then within ten days after expiration of said period the seller may record a claim for lien and the filing of such claim or lien for recordation shall create a lien on said land for the amount due and unpaid, which shall expire ninety days after creation unless a foreclosure action is commenced within said time.

To Committee on Agriculture.

A. B. 1116. EDWIN BAKER.

Amends Sec. 633b of the Pol. Code, relating to insurance companies. **Adds**, after the word "society" and after the words "surety company," the words "or other insurers" wherever such words occur; **adds** after the word "broker" wherever it occurs the words "or other person licensed under this act" or the words "or other person"; in line 35, page 5 of the printed bill the words "refer to" are **inserted**. The matter beginning on page, 2, line 29, to line 6, page 3 of the printed bill, inclusive, is **added** and **provides** that any person named as the insured in a policy, or as principal or obligee in any surety bond, who shall receive any rebate from the premium specified in the

policy or bond, shall be guilty of a violation of this section, and punishment therefor is prescribed. This penalty not to apply to returning a portion of the premium on a policy issued on a participating plan after the term covered by such policy, or on a life insurance policy upon a participating plan at any time. The paragraph on page 3, lines 20 to 26, inclusive, is **added** and provides that the paying of any commission on insurance or surety business to other than an insurance or surety company or other insurer authorized to transact business under the laws of the state shall be a violation of this section. The matter beginning on page 3, line 50, to line 24, page 4, inclusive, is **added** and provides that the acceptance by an insurer, through one employed in a managerial capacity, of a statement, known to be false, of the amount or segregation of pay roll upon which the premium for a compensation or casualty insurance is to be based, shall be a violation of this section; declares that allowing of credit without interest at current rates extending the time of paying premiums beyond sixty days after the end of the month in which a policy or surety bond becomes effective shall be construed as a rebate except where the policy or bond is not delivered within fifty days after the end of such month and except also in cases where, by the terms of the policy or bond, the premium is not due when the bond becomes effective, in which case sixty days may be allowed after the end of the month in which the premium becomes due; if the premium be paid by the insured named in a policy or the principal named in a surety bond, within the time required herein, such payment shall be deemed a compliance with the provisions of this section. The proviso which would occur in line 28, page 2 of the bill, that the section shall not be construed to prevent a mutual fire insurance company from returning any portion of the premium as a dividend at the expiration of the term, is omitted and may be taken care of by the provision of the paragraph at the top of page 3.

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 1117. ROBERTS.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 431a.

Repeals the act of 1917 relating to setback lines on private property.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 1118. ROBERTS.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1770a.

Adds Sec. 6a to the Juvenile Court Law of 1915. The amendment provides that if a defendant has been brought before the juvenile court by accident or mistaken identity or by reason of any circumstance which would work an injustice upon him, and he is dismissed, discharged or acquitted, a record of such facts shall be placed upon the same page of the court record or docket which contains the record of the case against such defendant.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1119. C. C. BAKER.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 297.

Amends Secs. 9 and 120 and adds Secs. 28a and 132a to the Bank Act of 1909.

The amendment to Sec. 9 **prohibits** the opening or keeping of a branch bank in any municipality outside of the one wherein the principal place of business is located except by the taking over of an existing bank which has been in existence for at least three years; also **prohibits** the maintaining of more than one branch in any municipality other than wherein is located the parent office, line 18, page 1, to and including the word "office," line 5, page 2 of the printed bill.

The word "collections" is **substituted** for the word "collectors" in line 27, page 2 of the printed bill; the words "deemed to be the agent of the bank and the bank shall be," which would appear after the first word in line 29, page 2, are **omitted**. The **probable effect** of this omission is to make the person authorized to make collections from school children liable to the pupils for all deposits made with such person.

The following sentence is **added** to section 120: "The Superintendent of Banks shall be ineligible during the time he is in office and for two years thereafter to hold any office, position or employment in any bank under charter of the State of California."

Sec. 28a, which is added, **provides** that every bank which maintains a branch office and which advertises in connection with that branch office the total assets or capital stock of the parent office must advertise in letters of equal size and prominence the assets and capital stock of that particular branch. Whenever any branch shall advertise the names of the members of its advisory board it must exhibit in letters of equal size and prominence above such name the words "without the authority or responsibility of membership on the board of directors"; whenever a branch advertises the names of any or all of the members of its advisory board it must maintain in letters of equal size and prominence immediately adjacent thereto the names of the board of directors.

Sec. 132a, which is added, **provides** that at the time a bank furnishes the reports required by Sec. 131 each branch bank shall have published a condensed statement of its financial condition in a newspaper published or circulated in the place where such branch is located.

To Committee on Banking.

A. B. 1120. EMME.

Amends Sec. 82 of the Civil Code, relating to annulment of marriage.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1121. CLEVELAND.

Amends Sec. 2087 of the Pol. Code, relating to the National Guard.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Military Affairs.

A. B. 1122. CLEVELAND.

Amends Sec. 2107 of the Pol. Code, relating to the National Guard.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Military Affairs.

A. B. 1123. CLEVELAND.

Amends Sec. 2079 of the Pol. Code, relating to the National Guard.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Military Affairs.

A. B. 1124. CLEVELAND.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2200.

Amends the act of 1872 providing for the furnishing of arms to military academies.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Military Affairs.

A. B. 1125. ROBERTS.

New General Law. Creates the California Board of Review of Motion Pictures, consisting of the State Superintendent of Public Instruction, ex officio, and four members nominated by the Board of Education and appointed by the Governor.

Said board shall prescribe rules and regulations for its conduct and work and create reviewing committees and invite intelligent, discriminating and respected citizens of the state, not connected with motion pictures, to serve upon such. The board may reserve the right to modify or reverse any judgment of such committees upon appeal from members of that committee or from those submitting the picture.

Every film before it is exhibited for commercial purposes on and after August 15, 1923, must be passed upon by the board of review; two dollars for each reel of one thousand feet shall be paid on submission of a film; a written report shall be rendered to any person submitting a film and said report shall be kept on file and available at all times. Any film considered unpatriotic, sacrilegious, conducive

to crime or indecent shall be reported to the local authorities so that any community may be enabled to prevent the showing of such film: any film which has been approved by the board shall include in any advertisements of the picture a statement of the endorsement by the board. Any person showing a film which has not been previously submitted to the board or which shall display the endorsement of the board when endorsement has not been accorded shall be guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine of not less than \$50 nor more than \$100 for each portion thereof shown, and each showing shall constitute a separate offense. The word "conductive," line 49, page 2 of the printed bill, should be "conducive."

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1126. ROBERTS.

Amends Sec. 1665 of the Pol. Code, relating to the course of instruction in elementary schools.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 1127. ROBERTS.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 4302.

Amends Secs. 13, 18 and 22 of the act of 1915 creating a Bureau of Vital Statistics. The amendments set forth in the bill make no change in the sections as they now stand. The words "and deaths" are omitted from the title following the word "births" at the end of line 3. These words should be inserted by amendment.

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

A. B. 1128. ROBERTS.

New General Law. The title states that the bill prohibits the discrimination by insurance companies between persons of the same age, sex, general condition of health and prospect of longevity.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 1129. MOORE.

New General Law. Creates the office of county engineer and abolishes the office of county surveyor.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 1130. COOMBS.

Amends Sec. 2639 of the Pol. Code, relating to powers of boards of supervisors over highways.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 1131. COOMBS.

Purports to amend Sec. 2643 of the Pol. Code. The purported amendment authorizes the supervisors to appoint and employ superintendents and other employees for the maintenance, improvement and construction of county roads and highways and to provide for the compensation to be paid therefor. **This section was repealed in 1921** (Stats. 1921, p. 1681) and it will be necessary to amend this bill to provide for the addition of a new section to be numbered 2643.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 1132. HORNBLOWER.

Amends Sec. 4290 of the Pol. Code, relating to the salaries and fees of county officers. Adds the clause beginning with the fourth word in line 46 to and including the fourth word in line 51, page 2 of the printed bill, which provides that **the sheriff shall be allowed** five dollars per day for conveying a female insane person to a state hospital when some other female other than a relative is taken along with the insane person as compensation for said female.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 1133. HORNBLOWER AND T. A. MITCHELL.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2143c.

Amends Secs. 9 and 12 of the Workmen's Compensation Act of 1917. It is not clear whether a new section 9c is added to the act as would appear from the body of the bill, although the title does not so state. Such Sec. 9c includes the schedule of death benefits now contained in Sec. 9 with the following changes: In line 44, page 4 of the printed bill, the words "two thousand four hundred" are **substituted** for the words "one thousand six hundred sixty-six and sixty-six," thus raising the highest average annual earnings of an employee. The sentence contained in lines 45 to 47, page 4, inclusive, is **added** and reads as follows: "Within said limits the minimum weekly payment of compensation shall be six dollars and forty-one cents, and the maximum weekly payment of death benefit thirty dollars." The same sentence is **added**, beginning with line 12, page 5. In line 11, page 5, the highest average earnings are raised to \$2,400 from \$1,666.66. On lines 28 and 29, page 5, the highest average weekly earnings are raised from \$32.05 to \$46.15, and in line 31 the highest average annual earnings from \$5,000 to \$7,200.

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 1134. SCOTT.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2143a.

Amends Sec. 37 of the Workmen's Compensation Act of 1913. Subdivision (b) this section is amended to **provide** that the state compensation insurance fund shall be applied to payment of losses on insurance, to payment to the accident prevention fund, and the balance thereof, together with all receipts of the commission, to the payment of salaries and other expenses. The subdivision as it now stands provides that said fund shall be applied only to payment of losses and salaries and other expenses.

In subdivision (c) mention is omitted that it is the intent of the Legislature to make the fund neither more nor less than self-supporting. Instead of providing that the entire surplus shall be paid into dividends to employers, as in the present section, the amendment provides one-half of such excess of profits shall be paid into the general fund of the state treasury and a cash dividend declared pro rata to each employer insuring with the fund. **See Const. Art. 4, Sec. 22.**

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 1135. CONNOLLY.

Adds Sec. 4152a to the Pol. Code relating to duties of county clerks.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 1136. McDOWELL.

Amends Sec. 1608 of the Pol. Code. Adds the sentence beginning in line 23, page 1 of the printed bill, which provides that school boards may establish and maintain cafeterias or restaurants in public schools.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 1137. WILLIAMS.

Amends Sec. 4256 of the Pol. Code. The title of this bill states that it relates to salaries of the district attorney, deputy and stenographer in counties of the twenty-seventh class (Merced County). This section as it now stands is the **Merced County Government Act.**

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 1138. WILLIAMS.

New General Law. Creates a Board of Motion Picture Review, consisting of the State Superintendent of Public Instruction, ex officio, and eight others nominated by the Board of Education and appointed by the Governor.

This bill is practically the same as **A. B. 1125.**

To Committee on Public Morals.

A. B. 1139. NOYES.

Adds Sec. 3480 $\frac{1}{2}$ to the Pol. Code, relating to hiring clerks by reclamation boards.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

A. B. 1140. NOYES. (By request.)

Amends Sec. 1755 of the Pol. Code, relating to the duties of high school boards relative to taxation.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 1141. NOYES. (By request.)

Amends Sec. 1764 of the Pol. Code, relating to high school tax.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 1142. NOYES. (By request.)

Amends Sec. 1756 of the Pol. Code, relating to high school tax.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 1143. NOYES. (By request.)

Amends Sec. 1840 of the Pol. Code, relating to elementary school tax.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 1144. NOYES. (By request.)

Amends Sec. 3818 of the Pol. Code, relating to delinquent tax sales.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

A. B. 1145. NOYES. (By request.)

Amends Sec. 1838 of the Pol. Code, relating to school district tax.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 1146. NOYES. (By request.)

Amends Sec. 1612a of the Pol. Code, relating to school district tax.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 1147. NOYES. (By request.)

New General Law. The title states that the bill fixes the date for the annual submission of estimates for special or district taxes to the supervisors.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

A. B. 1148. REINDOLLAR.

New General Law. Declares the county road extending from Bolinas in Marin County to Stinson Beach and to the state highway leading from Sausalito to Corte Madero in Marin County to be a State highway.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 1149. EDWIN BAKER.

Amends Sec. 633a of the Pol. Code. Omits the words "or will obtain such instruction within thirty days" which would appear at the end of the sentence in line 30, page 2 of the printed bill and after the word "negotiate" in line 45 of the same page.

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 1150. WRIGHT.

Appropriates \$168,595 for the support and salaries of the Immigration and Housing Commission during the next two fiscal years.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

A. B. 1151. BADHAM.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 3937c.

Amends Secs. 29 and 30 of the Change of Grade Act of 1913.

At the beginning of Sec. 29 the words, "Said improvement bonds or any part of such bonds, issued hereunder," are substituted for the words, "Improvement bonds or any part of such bonds, issued hereunder." Omits mention that sale must be to a cash bidder or that the bonds may be sold in any other manner as the legislative body may determine; provides that such bonds may be sold at any time after advertisement of the sale before the completion and acceptance of the work without further advertisement; provides that the city may become the purchaser of such bonds.

Sec. 30, as amended, **provides** that any bonds not sold "before the completion and acceptance of the work or improvement" shall constitute a part of the fund and be treated as so much money, at their par value. The present section provides that any bonds remaining unsold fifteen days after publication of the advertisement, provided for in the preceding section, shall constitute a part of such fund.

The clause which would appear after the sentence in line 14, page 2 of the printed bill, which provides that there must be sufficient money in said sum to pay all incidental expenses and all damages that must be paid prior to doing the work, is **omitted**. The words "the date of sale stated in" in line 17, page 2, are **substituted** for the words "the completion of the publication of".

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 1152. POMEROY.

New General Law. Empowers any city, county, or city and county to require property owners to keep natural drainage channels open.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

A. B. 1153. POMEROY.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 3991.

Amends the act of 1907, relating to land surveyors.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 1154. POMEROY.

Adds Sec. 2657 to the Pol. Code, relating to a property tax for highway purposes.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

A. B. 1155. ROBERTS.

Amends Sec. 1612 of the Pol. Code, relating to governing boards of school districts. In line 3, page 1 of the bill, the amendment **substitutes** the words "The governing boards of school districts" for the words "Boards of school trustees and city boards of education"; **substitutes** "four hundred" for "two hundred" in line 5; **provides** that the governing board may purchase perishable materials or supplies without advertising for bids and that the board may reject all bids and construct school buildings by days' labor whenever in its judgment such work can be done more cheaply by that method; **substitutes** "five hundred" for "one thousand" in line 27, page 1; **inserts** the word "next" in line 2, page 2; **substitutes** "one thousand" for "five hundred" in line 9, page 2, and **adds** the proviso that if the

lowest bid is greater than the price of doing the work by days' labor or at which such materials or supplies can be purchased in the open market such bids may be rejected and the work done by days' labor or the materials or supplies purchased in the open market.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 1156. DAWSON.

Amends Sec. 1608 of the Pol. Code, relating to the powers and duties of school boards. **Substitutes** the word "authorized" for "organized" in line 23, page 1 of the bill. The effect of this change is to permit school boards to insure with companies **authorized** under the laws of this state and not only to ones **organized** under the laws of this state.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 1157. A. G. MITCHELL.

Amends Sec. 4312 of the Pol. Code, relating to county officers. **Adds** the proviso at the end of the section that in counties of the first class where a department of the superior court has been established in a city other than the county seat the judge of such department may have his chambers in such city.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1158. A. G. MITCHELL.

Amends Secs. 73 and 142 of the C. C. P., relating to superior courts. The amendment to Sec. 73 **adds** the following words beginning in line 6, page 1 of the printed bill: "except as otherwise provided by section one hundred forty-two of this code," and adds the proviso beginning in line 12 that in counties of the **first class** there may be at least one department of the superior court in each city other than the county seat containing a population of not less than fifty thousand. The same proviso is **added** at the end of Sec. 142.

Sec. 2, on page 2, which should be amended to read "Sec. 3," **provides** for the continuing in force of existing statutes governing counties of this class.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 1159. A. G. MITCHELL.

Amends Secs. 4190, 4198, 4201 and 4202 of the Pol. Code.

The amendment to Sec. 4109 **provides** for the establishment of branch law libraries and applies the provisions of this section to branch law libraries; provided that no branch may be established except in a **county of the first class** and in a city other than the county seat at which special sessions of the superior court are held.

The amendments to Secs. 4198, 4201 and 4202 apply the provisions

of these sections to branch law libraries. In line 17, page 2, the word "said" is substituted for the word "state".

To Committee on Libraries.

A. B. 1160. SMITH.

Repeals Sec. 1511b of the Penal Code.

Said section reads as follows: "After the jury have been sworn and charged by the coroner, they must go together with the coroner to view and examine the body of the deceased person. They must not proceed upon the inquest until they have so viewed the body. After the jury have viewed the body, they may retire to any convenient place to hear the testimony of witnesses and deliberate upon their verdict. For this end the coroner may adjourn the inquest from time to time, as may be necessary."

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1161. SMITH.

Amends Sec. 1512 of the Penal Code. The words "of a body" which would occur after the word "tissues" in line 11 of the bill are **omitted** and the following sentence **added** to the section: "The coroner may adjourn the inquest from time to time as may be necessary".

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1162. SMITH.

Amends Sec. 1510 of the Penal Code. **Substitutes** the words (beginning in line 10 of the printed bill) "a place designated by him" for the words "the place where the body of deceased is" and **adds** the sentence at the end of the section providing that the jury must be sworn and charged by the coroner.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1163. SMITH.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 897a.

Amends Sec. 12 of the act of 1915 creating the State Board of Embalmers. **Omits** the words "the performance of" which would occur after the second word in line 5 of the printed bill and **adds** the matter beginning with the sentence in line 7 to the end of the section, which **provides** that the State Board of Embalmers may prescribe and maintain the standard of qualifications of embalmers and may employ lecturers and demonstrators in the science of embalming for the benefit of all licensed embalmers and apprentices and shall mail to them a thirty-day notice of each meeting.

The bill is **defective** in that the title of the act which it purports to amend is not set out and reference is merely made to the statutes where it may be found.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1164. SMITH.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1672k.

Amends Sec. 6 of the act of 1917 providing for inter-exchange of indemnities.

Note. This act was probably repealed by an act approved June 3, 1921 (see note to Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1672k).

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 1165. FOSTER.

New General Law. Provides for the licensing of public oil service stations.

Note. Nothing should appear before the enacting clause of the bill other than the title.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

A. B. 1166. CARTER.

Amends Sec. 2932 of the Civil Code. Adds the last sentence to the section which provides that a sale made under a power of sale conferred by mortgage or a transfer made subject to defeasance on a condition are subject to the same redemption as a sale under execution.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1167. SCOTT.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1216.

Amends Secs. 1 and 2 of the Forestry Board Act of 1905.

The amendment to Sec. 1 **reduces** the members of the board from **four to three** and provides that one shall represent the agricultural, one the water storage and one the timber interests. The present section provides that one shall be familiar with the timber industry, one with the live stock industry, one with the hay and grain industry and one shall be at large, and these members shall, together with the State Forester, constitute the Board of Forestry. The amendment further **provides** for regular meetings in Sacramento on the first Monday in May and November and at such other times and places as may seem necessary. The present section provides only for meetings at such times and places as the board sees fit.

The amendment to Sec. 2 **provides** that the State Forester shall be "a practical forester familiar with western conditions" instead of a "technically trained forester" as determined by a certificate from the United States Department of Agriculture or from the forestry department of the state university, as now provided. **Does away** with two assistant foresters at salaries of \$1,200 per annum and **reduces** the salary of the deputy forester from \$3,600 to \$3,000 per annum.

To Committee on Conservation.

A. B. 1168. SCOTT.

New General Law. The title states that the bill provides for a tax of one cent per gallon on all gasoline manufactured or distributed within the state.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

A. B. 1169. DAWSON.

Amends Sec. 4157 of the Pol. Code, relating to sheriff's duties. **Adds** the following clause in subdivision 3 to the section: "and investigate public offenses which have been committed and the persons suspected of having committed a public offense."

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 1170. FRANK JOHNSON. Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 2331b.

Amends the Motor Vehicle Act of 1915.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

A. B. 1171. T. A. MITCHELL. Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 2143e.

Amends the Workmen's Compensation Act of 1917.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 1172. ERB.

New General Law. The title states that this bill provides for the regulation and licensing of hunting grounds.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 1173. STOW.

Amends Sec. 296 of the Civil Code, relating to corporations. **Adds** the last sentence to the section which provides that the Secretary of State shall issue and file in his office a duplicate of the certificate provided for in this section; and copies thereof duly certified by him shall have the same force and effect in evidence as the original.

To Committee on Corporations.

A. B. 1174. DOUGLAS.

Deer, Gen. L. Sup. No. 196g.

Amends the act of 1921 providing for control of tuberculosis in cattle.

Note. The title should be amended to include the date of approval of the act, June 3, 1921.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

A. B. 1175. DOUGLAS. (By request.)

Amends Sec. 4262 of the Pol. Code. Siskiyou County Government Act.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 1176. CRITTENDEN AND CLEARY.

New General Law. The title states that the bill provides for state investigation of the possibilities of storage, control and diversion of water for public use and protection in the state and makes an appropriation therefor.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Irrigation.

A. B. 1177. REINDOLLAR.

Amends Sec. 4022 of the Pol. Code, relating to bonds of county officers. Adds the last sentence to the section which provides that the board of supervisors shall require of the sheriff a bond in reference to civil matters in such amount as may be prescribed by the board and an additional bond in reference to criminal matters.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 1178. T. A. MITCHELL.

Deer, Gen. L. Sup. No. 2213b.

Amends the Mining Bureau Act of 1915.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 1179. DAVIS.

New General Law. Declares that a trust deed given in lien of a mortgage is against public policy; that a year's equity of redemption shall be allowed on property covered by trust deeds after sale thereof and repeals all acts in conflict.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1180. MUELLER.

New General Law. The title states that the bill **authorizes** the formation of hospital districts under the control of a board of commissioners and gives the district power to levy taxes or issue bonds.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

A. B. 1181. FOX AND MUELLER.

New General Law. The title states that the bill **provides** for the relief of veterans and families of deceased veterans in indigent circumstances.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs.

A. B. 1182. FOX AND MUELLER.

New General Law. **Requires** the teaching of the United States constitution and of the California constitution in all public and private schools located within the state, beginning not later than the opening of the eighth grade and continuing in the high school course and the courses in junior colleges and colleges to an extent to be determined by the Superintendent of Public Instruction.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 1183. ROSENSHINE.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1608.

Amends the Industrial Welfare Act of 1913.

The title should be amended to include the word "and" after the word "women".

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 1184. JONES.

Adds Secs. 1350a and 1350b to the C. C. P. Sec. 1350 **provides** that no person is competent to serve as executor who has been employed to draw or who has furnished assistance in drawing the will under which he is appointed.

Sec. 1350b **provides** that no corporation is competent to serve as executor under a will which has been drawn by any officer, employee, or attorney of such corporation and any arrangement under which the corporation sends employment to an attorney or other person, whether the corporation pays for said employment or not, shall be considered as an employment under this section.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1185. JONES.

Appropriates \$500,000 for the construction and repair of such portions of the present system of state highways as, in the opinion of the Highway Commission, are in most need thereof, and the construction and repair of which will be most beneficial to the general welfare.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 1186. SPALDING.

Amends Sec. 340 of the C. C. P. Adds subdivision (6) to this section. This subdivision provides for a statute of limitations of one year for an action upon a check, or other order of payment of money upon demand, provided that the obligation for which the check was given shall not outlaw until the time fixed in this code for commencement of action on said obligation.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1187. SPALDING.

Adds Sec. 1454a to the C. C. P. The next of kin in the order named below may, without procuring letters of administration, be entitled to receive from any bank or safe deposit company any personal property not over the value of \$1,000 belonging to a deceased person in the safe deposit vaults or boxes of said bank, and may receive from any corporation a transfer of capital stock belonging to the decedent if the entire amount of said stock and other personal property, excluding money in a bank, is less than \$1,000: (1) The surviving husband, or wife, or guardian of the estate of an insane or incompetent husband or wife; (2) the children or guardian of the estate of any minor, or insane or incompetent children; (3) the father or mother or the guardian of the estate of any insane or incompetent father or mother; (4) the brothers and sisters or the guardian of the estate of any minor or insane or incompetent brothers and sisters. The bank or safe deposit company shall be fully discharged on a receipt by such persons. Any bank, safe deposit company or other corporation, upon receipt of an affidavit reciting the fact of the death of the decedent, that the affiant is next of kin and entitled to the personal property or stock mentioned in this section and that the value of the entire amount of personal property left by the decedent, exclusive of money in banks, does not exceed \$1,000, may deliver to the affiant such personal property or stock and the receipt of such affiant is sufficient acquittance therefor and authorization for transfer of stock. This section not to apply if the aggregate value of the personal property and stock exceeds the sum of \$1,000.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1188. FRANK JOHNSON.

Purports to appropriate a blank sum to carry out the provisions of the act of 1921 which added Secs. 361 to 361d, inclusive, to the Pol.

Code, creating a Department of Agriculture, providing that the appropriations shall be solely for the payment of salaries, wages, traveling and other necessary expenses of the dairy service of the department.

Note. It would be probably better to state directly that the appropriation is for the dairy service of the department.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 1189. SMITH.

Amends Sec. 1882 of the Pol. Code. Adds the proviso to subdivision (5) that in the discretion of the board the notice of election of school bonds shall recite a maximum rate of interest **not exceeding six per cent** payable annually. When so recited this rate shall not be exceeded in the issuance of said bonds.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 1190. SMITH.

Adds Sec. 1886a to the Pol. Code. Because of the ambiguity in the section it is not possible to make a digest of this bill.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 1191. SMITH.

Adds Sec. 1746b to the Pol. Code, relating to the sale of high school district bonds. **Provides** that if the notice of election specifies the interest, the bonds shall bear that rate; that if a maximum rate is specified the supervisors may either fix the interest rate, not exceeding the maximum, and cause said bonds to be sold or may without then fixing the rate, direct that notice be given inviting bids for said bonds, directing that the bidders shall specify the lowest interest rate either with or without premium which they will accept to pay for said bonds. The board may sell such bonds to the bidder **offering the lowest and best bid** and thereafter shall fix the rate of interest at the rate specified in the bid, provided that said rate shall in no case exceed **six per cent per annum.**

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 1192. SMITH.

Amends Sec. 1745 of the Pol. Code, relating to high school bonds. **Adds the proviso** beginning in line 14, page 2, that in the discretion of the board the notice of election shall recite a maximum rate of interest to be paid on such bonds not exceeding **six per cent**, which rate when so recited shall not be exceeded in the issuance of said bonds.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 1193. SMITH.

New General Law. Provides that whenever a bond, warrant or interest-bearing obligation of the State, or any political subdivision thereof, has been lost or destroyed before maturity, a duplicate may be issued to the owner or **legal custodian** upon compliance with certain conditions set out in the bill.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1194. SCHMIDT.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 2331b.

Amends Secs. 13, 22 and 24 of the Motor Vehicle Act of 1915.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

A. B. 1195. CLEARY.

Makes an **appropriation** for the construction and improvement of the State highway extending from Porterville, in Tulare County, to Lost Pine, in Inyo County.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 1196. CLEARY.

Makes an **appropriation** for the construction and improvement of the State highway extending from Earlimart, Tulare County, to a point where such highway connects with the highway extending from Lost Hills, Kern County, to Cholame, San Luis Obispo County.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 1197. MISS MILLER.

Appropriates a blank sum for improvements at the California Industrial Farm for Women.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

A. B. 1198. POMEROY.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2881.

Amends Sec. 1 of the Act of 1897 extending the jurisdiction of cities over parks owned by them outside of the city limits. Provides that cities and towns now or hereafter owning parks, boulevards or playgrounds outside of the limits of such city or town shall have the same power, authority and jurisdiction over such park, boulevard or playground and over streets and avenues leading therefrom and over persons and property therein the same as now possessed over persons

and property within said cities and towns; gives the local courts of said cities and towns the same jurisdiction over said parks, etc., and persons and property therein as if the same were within the cities or towns.

The section as it now stands merely gives the governing body of a city or town authority to construct and maintain streets connecting with parks outside the city limits.

The bill is **defective** in that it does not state that the act amended became a law under constitutional provision without the Governor's approval on March 1, 1897.

To Committee on State Grounds and Parks.

A. B. 1199. POMEROY.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2878.

Amends Secs. 1, 4, 7 and 9 of the Act of 1899, relating to public parks. The bill should be amended to include the date of approval of the act amended, which is March 19, 1899.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 1200. POMEROY.

Adds article I to chapter IV of title III of part III of the Pol. Code embracing Secs. 1893, 1894, 1894a, 1894b, 1894c and 1894d, relating to nonpublic schools. It is the intent of this act that sanitary conditions and courses of study in all nonpublic schools shall be equal to the standards prescribed by law for the public schools. **Provides** that the head officer of every school of kindergarten, elementary or secondary grade not supported by the State or any political subdivision thereof, must submit to the State Superintendent of Public Instruction each year a report on the course of study in such school; the Superintendent of Public Instruction shall approve or disapprove of said course and require that it be brought up to the standards of corresponding public schools; such schools shall be given sixty days to comply with orders as to courses of instruction and six months to comply with orders relating to safety or sanitary conditions after a hearing accorded such school.

Such schools may be placed upon an equal footing with public schools as to qualifications for admission to secondary schools and universities.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 1201. POMEROY.

Amends Sec. 1 of the Act of 1897, authorizing cities and towns owning parks outside of the city limits to construct roads to such parks.

The bill is **defective** in that it does not state that the act became a law without the Governor's approval March 1, 1897.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 1202. KLINE.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 4349.

Amends Secs. 1 to 27, inclusive, of the County Water District Act of 1913.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 1203. CARLSON.

Amends Sec. 2870 of the Pol. Code, relating to toll bridges.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

A. B. 1204. CARLSON.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 420.

Amends the Bridge Act of 1881.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

A. B. 1205. FELLOW.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1770a.

Amends the Juvenile Court Law of 1915.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1206. J. W. JOHNSTON.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 922.

Amends Secs. 6, 10, 11, 13 and 14 of the Dental Practice Act of 1915. The amendment to Sec. 6 adds the matter on page 1 of the printed bill, lines 11 to 22, inclusive, which **provides** that the requirement of testimonials of good moral character shall be satisfied by testimonials from two or more reputable householders or taxpayers residing in the State, or by three or more nonresidents who are United States citizens and householders or taxpayers in the county where they reside and for whose citizenship and qualification as householder or taxpayer and testimonial reliability, a judge or clerk of court of general jurisdiction of the county in which such persons reside, will vouch by written certificate; such testimonials to be filed with the secretary of the board seven days before the examination. **Adds** the proviso (page 2, lines 32 to 40, inclusive) that applicants for license who furnish satisfactory evidence of membership in the United States army, navy and marine corps, veterans' board or public health service, and who have otherwise satisfied the requirements of this section making them eligible to take the examination shall be entitled to a license to practice dentistry which the board must issue without examination. The amendment to Sec. 10 **makes** no provision for a State dentistry fund and **provides** that all necessary expenses

incurred in the administration of this act shall be met by legislative appropriation. The word "imposed" should be inserted after the word "penalties", in line 2, page 3. The amendment to Sec. 11 (page 3, line 20) **substitutes** the words "dental operations upon the tooth structure or tissues adjacent thereto of any human being," for the words "an operation of any kind,"; **adds** the word "dental", in lines 24 and 27, and beginning in line 33 the words "under the direction of a licensed dentist from taking the necessary impressions for and". **Omits** the second subdivision of the present section providing for revocation or suspension of a license upon the rendition of a final judgment against a dentist in a court of competent jurisdiction upon a cause of action alleging gross, unskillful or negligent practice; **adds** the word "dental", in line 1, page 4. Subdivision second is subdivision third of the section as it now stands. The amendment to Sec. 14 changes the section so that it will correspond with the amendment to Sec. 13 by omitting mention of the proceedings for revocation or suspension under subdivision second of the present section.

To Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

A. B. 1207. BADHAM.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 4340.

Amends Sec. 23 of the Water Commission Act of 1913 and adds Secs. 23a and 23b thereto.

The new section 23a includes the provisions of Sec. 23 as it now stands, relating to additional fees for water appropriated for power or agricultural purposes.

Sec. 23b contains the provisions of the present Sec. 23, relating to payment of fees into the state treasury. These provisions are omitted from the amendment to Sec. 23 and certain new matter is **added** which provides that not later than five days after the receipt of the application for a permit to appropriate water the Water Commission shall notify the applicant if any further fee is due, which must be sent in within thirty days or the application shall be canceled. A schedule for computing the fees for direct diversion and for storage is provided for in this section.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 1208. FELLOM.

Appropriates a blank sum for the salaries, support and maintenance of the Bureau of Labor Statistics for the next two fiscal years.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

A. B. 1209. ROCK.

New General Law. Makes the giving or offering of any money as a prize for a horse race, or offering to do so, unlawful and **punishable** by imprisonment for not less than thirty days or more than one year.

To Committee on Public Morals.

A. B. 1210. MRS. WOODBRIDGE. Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 2348.

Amends Secs. 877 and 880 of the Municipal Corporation Act of 1883.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 1211. MISS BROUGHTON.

Amends Sec. 857a of the C. C. P., relating to affirmative relief. Substitutes "counterclaim" for "cross-complaint" in line 4 of the printed bill.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1212. MISS BROUGHTON.

Amends Sec. 1772 of the C. C. P. Omits that part of the present section which provides that consent of the ward may be given only by an order of court after a hearing; and the provision for a partition without action. A provision is added that the partition shall be subject to confirmation by the court the same as in sales of real property by a guardian.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1213. MISS BROUGHTON.

Adds Sec. 1718 to the C. C. P., which provides that a court must judicially ascertain and establish the fact whether or not the father of any child entitled to state or county aid under chapter IIa, title V, of part III of the Pol. Code, is dead, upon receipt of a petition praying for such determination. No fee shall be charged for filing such petition. A petition once heard and denied shall not be renewed except on the ground of newly discovered evidence.

The section number instead of the term "section one" should precede the body of the section.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1214. MISS BROUGHTON.

Amends Sec. 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 1215. MISS BROUGHTON.

New General Law. The title states that the bill prohibits feeding on shooting and hunting preserves during the open season.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 1216. SCOTT.

Appropriates \$5,000 for street work on the streets fronting on the property of the University of California in San Francisco.

To Committee on Universities.

A. B. 1217. MISS BROUGHTON.

Makes an appropriation for the support of the State Board of Health in continuing education on social hygiene and public health during the next two fiscal years.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

A. B. 1218. WEST.

New General Law. Provides that the owner of any duly recorded mortgage, deed of trust, or other instrument whereby land is encumbered, may file with the clerk or other similar officer of any district or other political subdivision in this state wherein such land is situated, a statement setting forth the nature of the instrument, the name and address of the person in whose behalf such statement is filed and the name of the owner of the land, together with a demand that any notice of assessment, claim, or delinquency on such land be sent to such person. Thereafter all such notices concerning the land must be sent to such person and if there is a failure to do so no right of such person shall be impaired by any proceedings taken to enforce the payment of any assessment upon the land.

The act shall not apply to assessments levied upon abutting property owners by any city or town for local improvements when no special assessment district is created.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1219. MATHEWS.

New General Law. Provides that every railroad corporation in fencing its right of way shall provide an opening at least sixty feet wide every three miles for live stock to pass through. Every railroad which negligently injures or kills any cattle by running into them with an engine or cars shall be liable for damages unless the owner of such animals immediately contributes to such killing; **provided** that straying of animals along the tracks shall not be considered evidence of contributory negligence, and provided, further, that the killing or injuring shall be prima facie evidence of negligence on the part of the railroad.

If any claim is unpaid within sixty days the owner of the animals may sue to recover damages together with seven per cent interest. Every member of a train crew shall immediately report the killing or injury of an animal unless he has personal knowledge that such notice

has already been given, and failure to do so shall be deemed a misdemeanor, punishable by fine of not less than \$25 or not more than \$100 or by imprisonment of not less than ten days or more than thirty days, or by both. A railroad which has killed or injured any live stock shall within five days thereafter post for at least thirty days at the first railroad station in each direction from the scene of such killing a notice of such injury or killing and within ten days forward such a notice by registered mail to the State Department of Agriculture. Failure to do so shall be considered a misdemeanor, punishable by fine of not less than \$25 nor more than \$250. Any person attempting to conceal a killing or injury shall be punished by fine not exceeding \$200 or imprisonment for not more than thirty days, or by both. **Repeals** all acts in conflict.

To Committee on Public Utilities.

A. B. 1220. MATHEWS.

Amends Sec. 373a of the Penal Code, relating to public nuisances. Beginning with line 8 of the bill **adds** the words "or from such officer of the State Department of Agriculture or a county horticultural commissioner".

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

A. B. 1221. BROMLEY.

Amends Sec. 3666a of the Pol. Code, relating to the report of the Insurance Commissioner. **Omits** at the end of the section the following words: "Except that those filed by foreign companies shall be verified by the oath of the manager thereof residing within this state".

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 1222. BROMLEY.

Amends Sec. 361a of the Pol. Code, relating to the Department of Agriculture. No provision is made for the five divisions of the department; the second sentence of the section as it now stands **providing** for subdivisions is **omitted**, as is also the last sentence **providing** for the salaries of the chiefs of subdivisions.

To Committee on Agriculture.

A. B. 1223. ROSENSHINE.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 2331b.

Amends Sec. 4 of and adds Sec. 4½ to the Motor Vehicle Act of 1915. The amendment to Sec. 4 adds the words (beginning in line 6) "and the filing of a bond as provided in Sec. 4½ of this act."

Sec. 4½ provides that no motor vehicle or trailer shall be registered until the applicant files a bond approved by the department and executed to the state in the sum of \$5,000, conditioned to pay all

damages and losses suffered by any person through or by the operation of the said motor vehicle; a judgment of court shall be conclusive evidence of such damage or loss.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

A. B. 1224. BADARACCO.

New General Law. Prohibits the wearing of any mask, regalia or paraphernalia by any person on any street, highway or public place or in open view of the general public whereby the face or person is partially or completely concealed, with intent thereby to conceal the identity of such person. Such appearance shall be presumptive evidence of wearing the same with intent to conceal the identity of such person; **provided**, that this act shall not prohibit the wearing of such means of concealment in good faith for the purposes of amusement or entertainment. Makes violation of the act a **felony**.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1225. DOZIER.

Amends Sec. 634 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of salmon.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 1226. CLARKE.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 4340.

Adds Secs. 11a and 11b to the Water Commisison Act of 1913.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Conservation.

A. B. 1227. REINDOLLAR.

New General Law. The title states that the bill **provides** for a game reserve in the region of Richardson Bay, Marin County, for the propagation of game birds.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 1228. MRS. SAYLOR.

Reappropriates \$32,290 appropriated in 1921 for the purpose of certain street work on streets fronting on the property of the University of California in Berkeley.

To Committee on Universities.

A. B. 1229. MISS BROUGHTON.

Amends Sec. 1387 of the Pol. Code. Revamps the section which refers to illegitimate children and **provides** that all children are legitimate and shall inherit and transmit inheritance the same as if born in wedlock. **Provides** that any person may in writing acknowledge himself as the parent of his child. The present section **provides** that the father and mother must each separately acknowledge such child in order that the child may inherit their respective estates; and that he does not represent his parents unless they intermarry and his father acknowledges him as his child. **Omits** the provision that the issue of all marriages null in law or dissolved by divorce are legitimate.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1230. ROBERTS.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 3928.

Adds Sec. 38 to the Street Opening Act of 1903.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 1231. ROBERTS.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2389g.

Amends Secs. 5 and 18 of the Municipal Utilities Act of 1905.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 1232. ROBERTS.

Amends Sec. 196a of the Civil Code, relating to illegitimate children.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1233. ROBERTS.

Amends Sec. 60a of the Civil Code, relating to illegitimate children and marriage.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1234. ROBERTS.

Amends Secs. 1387 and 1388 of the Civil Code, relating to succession.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1235. ROBERTS. (By request.)

Amends Sec. 599 of the Pol. Code, relating to subpoenas by the Insurance Commissioner.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 1236. ROBERTS. (By request.)

New General Law. The title states that the bill provides for the establishment of public rating bureaus.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Insurance.

A. B. 1237. MUELLER.

Adds Sec. 1893 to the Pol. Code, providing for the payment of clerks of union school and union high school boards.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Education.

A. B. 1238. COOMBS.

Amends Sec. 4041 of the Pol. Code, relating to the general powers of boards of supervisors.

The bill is evidently in skeleton form, with the addition of a new subdivision giving the supervisors power to provide for necessary assistants to the various county officers with power to provide for their salaries and the payment thereof.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 1239. McPHERSON.

Amends Sec. 475 of the Pol. Code, relating to employees of the attorney general's office. The section as it now stands provides for two clerks, one phonographic reporter, one service agent and seven stenographers and provides that two of said stenographers shall be exempt from the Civil Service Act. The amendment leaves the number of such employees blank.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 1240. McPHERSON.

Amends Sec. 1272a of the C. C. P. Adds the words "received by or" in line 5 of the bill; substitutes the words "pursuant to section one thousand seven hundred thirty-seven of this code" in lines 6 and

7 for the words "under the provisions of this code"; adds the words "to said property" in lines 10 and 11. The words "and who has not appeared in the proceedings for the administration of such estate", which would occur after the word "title" in line 12, are omitted, as are also the words "within five years after the date of the decree of final distribution", which would occur after the word "may" in line 12. States that the superior court of Sacramento County shall have full and exclusive jurisdiction to determine the title and all claims thereto of said property.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1241. McPHERSON.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 606.
1919 Stats., p. 1338.

Purports to amend Sec. 11 of the Civil Service Act of 1913. Omits the provisions that successive appointments shall not be made to the same position under the provisions of this section without the consent of the commission and that no person shall hold a position under such successive temporary appointments for a longer period than six months without the unanimous consent of the commission.

The bill is defective in that the body of the bill does not set forth the title of the act which is amended.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 1242. McPHERSON.

Amends Sec. 472 of the Pol. Code, relating to assistants and deputies in the attorney general's office. The section as it now stands provides for the appointment of one assistant, one chief deputy and nine additional deputies and that one of such additional deputies shall receive an annual salary of \$4,000, four of such deputies a salary of \$3,600, and four of such deputies a salary of \$3,300. The amendment leaves the number of such assistants and deputies blank.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 1243. McPHERSON.

Amends Sec. 4248 of the Pol. Code. Solano County Government Act.

To Committee on County Government.

A. B. 1244. SPENCE.

Amends Sec. 1523 of the C. C. P., relating to the duty of an executor or administrator to sell personal property. Adds the following matter beginning in line 15 of the bill: "which confirmation may be had upon such notice as the court or the judge thereof may require, or without notice, in the discretion of such court."

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1245. SPENCE.

Repeals Secs. 1518, 1519 and 1527 of the C. C. P. Said sections refer to petitions for orders of sale of a decedent's estate.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1246. SPENCE.

Amends Sec. 1592 of the C. C. P., relating to investment of money of estates. Adds the matter in lines 9 and 10 of the bill which provides that the money of an estate pending settlement may be invested in first mortgages or deed of trust liens on real estate in this state. Beginning in line 14 adds the words "or in any manner most beneficial to the interest of all concerned therein," and beginning in line 16 the words "and the court may make such orders and give such directions as are needful for the management, investment and disposition of the funds of the estate as the circumstances may require."

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1247. SPENCE.

Amends Sec. 1559 of the C. C. P., relating to probate sales. The paragraph beginning in line 20 of the printed bill is revamped and provides that in case of a sale on an increased bid to a purchaser who has not been procured by the agent contracted with, the court may allow one-half of the commission on the amount of the sale returned to said agent and the other half of said amount, together with the commission on the increased amount of such bid to a bona fide real estate agent procuring the purchaser to whom the sale is finally confirmed. As it now stands, the section provides that the court may allow a commission to the bona fide real estate agent procuring such other purchaser on the full amount of the sale.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1248. SPENCE.

Amends Sec. 274a of the C. C. P., relating to matter to be taken down in shorthand by an official reporter or other stenographer. In line 8 of the bill adds the words "examination of alleged feeble-minded persons,".

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1249. SPENCE.

Amends Secs. 851, 852, 857a and 858 of, and adds Secs. 860a and 860b to the C. C. P., relating to justices' courts.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1250. SPENCE.

Amends Sec. 681a of the C. C. P., relating to stay of execution.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Judiciary.

A. B. 1251. STEVENOT.

Appropriates \$207,200 for the support of the State Mining Bureau and the salary of the State Mineralogist for the next two fiscal years.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 1252. CARTER.

New General Law. The title states that the bill requires records of all assessments, bonds and other liens composed by or in accordance with any street improvement, etc.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A. B. 1253. T. A. MITCHELL.

New General Law. Makes it unlawful to dredge, for the purpose of extracting gold or other minerals, any cultivated or arable land, unless done in a manner which leaves said land in an arable condition and in approximately the same condition as land immediately next adjoining the land so dredged and approximately in the same condition as said land was before said dredging.

Charges the State Railroad Commission with the administration of the provisions of the act and **requires** a permit from such commission; defines cultivated land, arable land and dredging; makes violation of the act a misdemeanor.

To Committee on Mines and Mining.

A. B. 1254. T. A. MITCHELL.

New General Law. Makes the storing of crabs inclosed in boxes, crates or other containers in any of the waters or streams of the state within two miles of the outlet of any sewer a misdemeanor punishable by imprisonment for not more than six months or by a fine of not more than \$500 or by both.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

A. B. 1255. FELLOM.

Appropriates a blank amount for the salaries, support and maintenance of the State Harbor Commission for the next two fiscal years.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

A. B. 1256. CLEVELAND.

New General Law. Abolishes the office and position of attorney for the Industrial Accident Commission and provides that the attorney general shall attend to all legal matters of such commission. **Repeals** all acts in conflict.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

A. B. 1257. CRITTENDEN.

Makes a **continuous appropriation** of one million dollars for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District Act of 1911 (Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 3035) for work on the Sacramento River Project No. 2 of the Sacramento-San Joaquin Drainage District; \$10,000 is made available immediately upon taking effect of the act, \$300,000 for the fiscal year beginning in July, 1923, \$300,000 for the fiscal year beginning in 1924, and \$390,000 for the fiscal year beginning in 1925.

To Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

A. B. 1258. DOZIER.

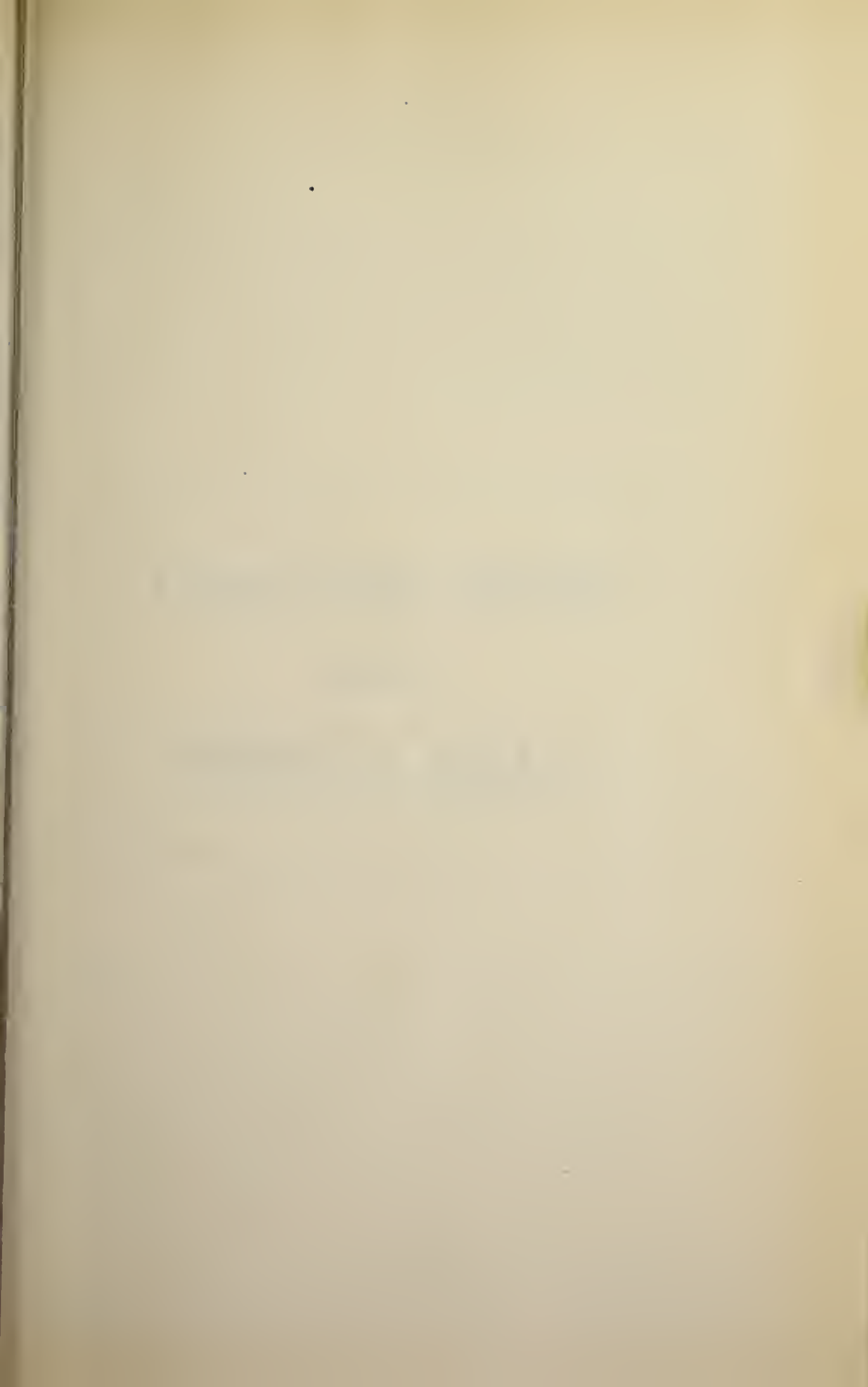
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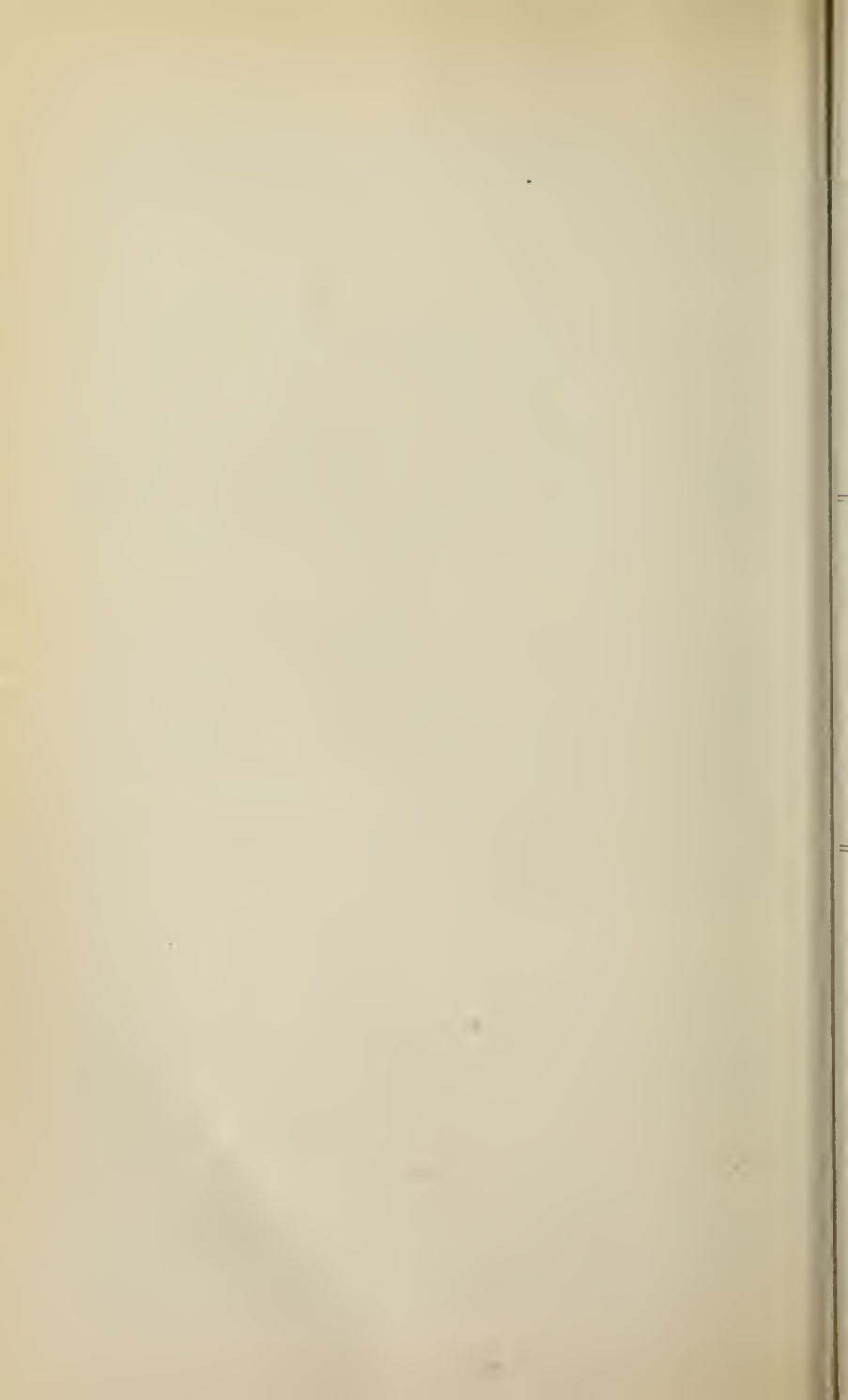
Amends Sec. 10 of the act of 1917 providing for the protection of fur-bearing mammals. Omits black and brown bear from the list of fur-bearing mammals.

The bill should be amended by adding to the title the words "defining fur-bearing mammals" immediately after the words "for the protection of fur-bearing mammals".

To Committee on Fish and Game.







LEGISLATIVE DIGEST

PART II

SENATE BILLS

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SENATE BILLS.

S. B. 1. ARBUCKLE.

Adds Sec. 4247a to the Pol. Code. Provides that in counties of the eighteenth class (Santa Barbara) the recorder shall be entitled to actual cost, not to exceed 7 cents per folio for long hand and 6 cents per folio for typewritten recording, for each paper, document or record so recorded in his office. He shall file monthly with the auditor sworn statements showing the persons and the amounts paid to each for such recording. This act allows the recorder actual cost for such recording. Urgency measure, with statement of facts constituting such urgency.

To Committee on County Government.

S. B. 2. CANEPA.

New General Law. Provides for the appropriation (setting aside or reservation of) of certain submerged lands owned by the state, lying along the water front of the city of San Francisco, for aquatic sports.

To Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

S. B. 3. EDEN.

New General Law. Increases the number of judges of the Superior Court in Orange County from **two** to **three**. Provides for the appointment of an additional judge, his compensation (same in amount as the compensation of other judges of said court), term of office and election of successor.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 4. GODSIL.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1038.

Amends Sec. 7 of act of 1913, regulating private employment agencies. (Last amended 1915-Stats. p. 930).

The present amendment **changes** the license fee in cities of the first, first and one-half and second classes from \$100 to \$1,000, and the surety bond from \$2,000 to \$5,000; in cities of the third and fourth classes, the license fee from \$50 to \$500, and the surety bond from \$1,000 to \$2,500; in all other cities and towns, the license fee from \$10 to \$250 and the surety bond from \$500 to \$1,000.

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

S. B. 5. HART.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1530a.
(For text see Stats. 1917, p. 1422.)

Repeals Sec. 12 of the Hotel and Lodging House Act of 1917. Sec. 12 provides that no fireproof hotel hereafter erected shall exceed

150 feet in height nor more than one and one half times the width of the widest street to which the lot on which it is situated abuts; that no semi-fireproof hotel building hereafter erected shall exceed 6 stories at any point, nor more than 65 feet in height, nor more than one and one half times the width of the widest street to which the lot on which it is situated abuts; that no wooden hotel building hereafter erected shall exceed 3 stories at any point, nor more than 36 feet in height, nor more than one and one-half times the width of the widest street to which the lot on which it is situated abuts. Other provisions relate to the width of the street, the basement, and the height of the various hotels.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

S. B. 6. HURLEY.

New General Law. To be known as the "Court of Domestic Relations Law." **Provides** that all Superior Courts in the state shall sit as Courts of Domestic Relations in certain classes of cases, having original jurisdiction over adoption of children, appointment of guardians of the person and estate of minor children, civil and criminal actions for desertion or nonsupport, suits for the annulment of marriage, divorce, alimony, separation, etc., and all suits for the exclusive control of children in certain cases, and such other matters as may be assigned thereto by the rules of the court. **Empowers** judges of said Court of Domestic Relations to direct the probation officers of the Juvenile Courts to investigate and report on certain facts in proceedings pending in said court, and **defines** and **limits** the powers and duties of said probation officers under the act.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 7. INMAN.

Adds Sec. 1534a to the Pol. Code, relating to the government of private schools conducted wholly or in part in a language of a foreign nation. **Provides** that no person shall teach in a private school, conducted wholly or in part in the language of a foreign nation, unless he shall have first obtained a permit. No permit to be granted unless the superintendent of public instruction is satisfied that the applicant is possessed of a knowledge of American history and knows how to read, write and speak the English language. **Defines** the powers and duties of the superintendent of public instruction as to all the provisions of the act. **Appropriates** \$10,000 for the purposes of the act.

Repeals Sec. 1534 of the Pol. Code, added in 1921, relating to the same subject matter.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 8. A. BURLINGAME JOHNSON.

New General Law. **Provides** that the board of supervisors of any county may by ordinance establish and maintain a museum of history,

or science and art. The boards shall have power to acquire real and personal property necessary to house, maintain and enlarge the scope of such museum; to conduct lectures, researches, technical schools, etc.; and to cooperate with like agencies in the advancement of learning in the arts and sciences.

To Committee on County Government.

S. B. 9. JONES.

Adds Sec. 4235a to the Pol. Code. This section relates to county recorders of counties of the sixth class (Santa Clara).

See S. B. 1 (like provisions).

To Committee on County Government.

S. B. 10. LYON.

New General Law. Authorizes the establishment of third and fourth year work in the University of California, southern branch, at Los Angeles, which work shall lead to the degree of Bachelor of Arts. **Appropriates** \$400,000 therefor.

To Committee on Universities.

S. B. 11. OSBORNE.

Amends Sec. 2210 of the Pol. Code, relating to the Woman's Relief Corps Home. (This section was added in 1907.) The benefits of the act are extended to include certain relatives of veterans who served honorably in the Spanish-American War and the World War.

The following provision is added: "nor unless there be sufficient room and funds available for such purpose; **and provided, further**, that preference shall be given to destitute dependents of disabled and destitute veterans of the aforesaid wars."

The following words are omitted: "at Evergreen," which appear in the second line of the act.

To Committee on Military Affairs.

S. B. 12. SLATER.

New General Law. **Appropriates** \$100,000 to encourage the holding of county agricultural fairs, the money to be expended under the supervision of the state board of control, which board shall apportion it to the various fairs on the basis of the amount which such fairs actually paid in premiums at the fairs held in the preceding year. **Provides** the method whereby such fairs may take advantage of the provisions of the act, and provides, further, that if one county joins with another in holding an agricultural fair it shall not be barred from receiving a proper proportion of the moneys herein appropriated,

To Committee on Agriculture.

S. B. 13. HURLEY.

Adds Sec. 3236 to the Pol. Code. Relates to preference on public contracts and furnishing supplies. **Provides** that it shall be discretionary with all county courts, boards of supervisors, and all other public boards, etc., charged with the letting of contracts for public work or with the purchase of materials and supplies for public use, to give such contracts and employment to, and to purchase such materials and supplies from, persons and concerns manufacturing the same in the State of California; and further **provides** that the bids of such persons or concerns, or the prices quoted by them, shall not exceed by more than 5% the lowest bids or prices quoted by persons or concerns manufacturing the same elsewhere. **Provides** further, that no goods shall be entitled to such preference if the major portion of work of manufacturing shall be done outside the state.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

S. B. 14. GODSIL.

Adds Sec. 1716 to the Civil Code. Companion bill to A. B. 243, for digest see said A. B.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

S. B. 15. ARBUCKLE.

Adds Sec. 4252½ to Pol. Code, relating to county recorders of counties of the twenty-third class (Ventura).

See S. B. 1 (like provisions).

To Committee on County Government.

S. B. 16. BOGGS.

Appropriates \$159.30 to pay the claim of Eugene D. Graham against the state.

To Committee on Finance.

S. B. 17. HURLEY.

Signed by Governor. Chapter 3.

S. B. 18. BOGGS.

New General Law. Limits the liability of boards of supervisors. **Provides** that no member shall be liable for damages for any negligent act or omission of any officer or employee appointed by him in his official capacity. **Provides** that this act **shall not** apply where it appears that the member making the appointment or employment, or other members of the board, knew or had good reason to know that the appointee was wholly inefficient or incompetent to perform the services for which he was appointed. **Provides** further, that this act

shall not be construed to prevent collection of damages on liability insurance where the premium on any accident or liability policy has been paid out of the county funds. The amount of such damages is limited.

To Committee on County Government.

S. B. 19. DENNETT.

New General Law. Provides for the organization and government of drainage districts, for the acquisition, construction, maintenance and operation of drainage works to drain lands within the district; for the levying of assessments and the collecting of funds for costs; for the issuing and sale of bonds and for the disposition of drainage water. The act gives the method in detail for carrying out these provisions and defines the powers and duties of the boards and officers charged therewith. **Provides** a new method of organizing and governing drainage districts.

To Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

S. B. 20. DENNETT.

Appropriates \$25,000 for widening a portion of the state highway in Tnolunne county, known as Priest's grade.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

S. B. 21. A. B. JOHNSON.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2331b.

Amends Secs. 3 and 7 of the "Motor Vehicle Act" of 1915. Sec. 3 omits from the description of a motor vehicle the following: "and the diameter of the cylinder bore and the number of cylinders." **Eliminates** the provision relative to the determination of the horse power of any motor vehicle, etc; the provision relative to the horse power advertised by manufacturers; the provision requiring the application for registration to state whether the vehicle sought to be registered be a specially constructed or reconstructed motor vehicle.

The amendment to Sec. 7 provides a fee of \$2.00 for the registration of every motorcycle, automobile or other motor vehicle or trailer; (**eliminates** the fees based on horse power and weight;) for the registration of motor vehicles owned by or under the control of a manufacturer of, or dealer in, motor vehicles, \$10.00 for the first set of number plates and \$1.00 (now \$5.00) for each additional set. Provision is made for the act to take effect February 1, 1924.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

S. B. 22. A. B. JOHNSON.

New General Law. Levies a tax of 1 cent per gallon on all gasoline sold, except for resale, cleaning purposes, and for stationary gasoline engines. **Provides** the method for collection and disbursement of the tax. Limits the uses to which moneys derived there-

from shall be applied, and fixes penalties for the violation of the act. Provision is made for the act to take effect February 1, 1924.

To Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

S. B. 23. LYON.

Amends Sec. 925 of the Penal Code, relating to proceedings before the grand jury. **Provides** that no stenographic reporter shall be present during any session of the grand jury or receive any compensation for services, except an official reporter of the superior court or official reporter pro tempore. **Provides** that the official reporter or official reporter pro tempore who attends the sessions of the grand jury shall be appointed by the judge of the superior court in charge of said grand jury. **Fixes** compensation. A. B. 66 is apparently a companion bill.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 24. LYON.

Adds Secs. 1280a and 1280b to the Penal Code. Sec. 1280a provides that in counties of the first and second class, in affidavit on bail bond a legal description of the real property must be given, together with source of title and whether or not encumbered. The magistrate must not allow bail until report is given as provided in 1280b.

Sec. 1280b provides that district attorney in counties of the first and second class may appoint one of his deputies as a bond deputy. He must examine all sureties on bail and report the ownership of real property, together with encumbrances and whether or not sureties have been on bond within the year and if so how many times. This is a companion bill to A. B. 67.

Probable effect. To curb practice of bail bond brokers.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 25. CROWLEY.

Amends Sec. 739 of the Pol. Code. There were two sections of this number relating to the same subject, enacted at the session of 1921 and both approved on the same date. The present amendment makes the salary of each bailiff \$1,800 (now \$2400) makes the salary of the librarian \$2700 (now \$1500). The salaries of the other officers remain the same, according to the first section numbered 739 as it appears in the Political Code.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

S. B. 26. INGRAM.

New General Law. Declares a certain highway in Sierra county a state highway, and places the same under the supervision and control of the department of engineering. **Appropriates** \$100,000 for its improvement and construction.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

S. B. 27. GRAY.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2331b.

Amends Sec. 15 of the "Motor Vehicle Act" of 1915. Adds to subdivisions (b) and (c) the provision that when certain vehicles "are equipped with cushion wheels, a weight ten per cent greater than the weights hereinbefore named shall be allowed."

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

S. B. 28. HANDY.

New General Law. Declares a certain highway in Mendocino County a state highway, and places the same under the supervision and control of the state department of engineering, with authority to improve said highway. **Appropriates** \$55,000 therefor.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

S. B. 29. BURNETT.

New General Law. To be known as the "State Housing Act." Regulates the erection, construction, reconstruction, moving, alteration, maintenance, use and occupancy of apartment houses and hotels, in all parts of the State of California, and dwellings in incorporated towns, cities, and cities and counties, and the maintenance, use and occupancy of the premises and lands on which such apartment houses, hotels and dwellings are erected or located. Provides for the enforcement of the act. **Provides** penalties for the violation thereof. Repeals the "State Tenement House Act," "State Hotel and Lodging House Act," and the "State Dwelling House Act," all enacted in 1917. (Deer. Gen. L. Acts 4098a, 1530a and 431b.) The new act substitutes "apartment houses" for "tenement houses," used in the act of 1921.

A similar act was approved in 1921, but was defeated on referendum November 7, 1922.

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

S. B. 30. EDEN.

New General Law. **Provides** that any county may be organized into a single school district and the several elementary, high and other school districts previously organized and existing may be abolished whenever a majority of the votes cast by the electors upon the question of changing the organization, shall be in favor thereof. **Provides** the method for the calling of elections. **Provides** for the election of a board of education, the salary of its members, the term of office. **Defines** its powers and duties. **Provides** for the issuance of bonds and the sale thereof. **Provides** that the provisions of general law relating to compulsory education, vaccination and physical education shall apply, also the provision relating to free text books and retirement of teachers. **Provides** further that all provisions of

the general law relating to the organization, establishment, conduct and maintenance of public schools shall be applicable.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 31. EDEN.

New General Law. Provides that the operator of any motor vehicle carrying passengers for hire, the operator of any school bus, and the operator of any motor truck carrying certain explosive substances, shall, before crossing at grade any track of any railroad, bring his car to a full stop and look and listen for approaching trains. **Provides** that every such operator shall be at least 18 years of age and shall have normal vision. **Provides** that any violation of the act shall constitute a misdemeanor, and that employment of an operator of any such vehicle not so qualified shall subject his or her employer to prosecution and punishment for a misdemeanor.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

S. B. 32. EDEN.

Signed by Governor. Chapter 1.

S. B. 33. ALLEN.

Adds Sec. 349 $\frac{1}{2}$ to the C. of C. P., relating to the limitation of time within which certain actions can be commenced, as follows: "The validity of any proceeding for the annexation of territory to a municipal corporation, or for the consolidation of municipal corporations, **shall not be contested in any action** unless such action shall have been brought within 3 months after the completion of such proceedings, or, in case such proceedings are completed prior to the time that this act takes effect, then within 3 months after this act shall have become effective.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 34. WEST.

Amends Secs. 25 and 26 of the Civil Code, relating to minors. Declares all persons of either sex, under the age of 21 years, minors. (Males now 21; females, 18).

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 35. OSBORNE.

New General Law, relating to the sale of agricultural minerals, and to be known as "The California Agricultural Minerals Act of 1923." Defines "agricultural minerals." **Provides** that the provisions of this act shall not apply to the sale of any commercial fertilizer or material used for manurial purposes which is registered under the act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of commercial

fertilizers," etc. (Deer. Gen. L. No. 1157); nor apply to sales of agricultural minerals made to a registered manufacturer or producer of such, nor to sales for exports outside the state. **Provides** that every package of agricultural mineral sold shall be accompanied by a printed label, stating the name, brand, and trade mark, if any, under which the mineral is sold; the name and address of the producer, manufacturer, importer or dealer, or the place of manufacture or production; and the chemical analysis, stating percentages claimed therein, of each and every constituent in said substances or mixture, and the minerals from which all constituents are derived. **Provides** for a certificate of registration, before the sale of any agricultural minerals. **Provides** that any violation of the act shall constitute a misdemeanor and fixes the penalties therefor. **Provides** that the director of agriculture shall take samples of agricultural minerals and make analysis thereof. **Appropriates** for the use of the director of agriculture, \$20,000, to carry out the provisions of the act.

To Committee on Agriculture.

S. B. 36. INMAN.

Amends Sec. 204 C. C. P., relating to jury lists. **Provides** that in counties, and cities and counties, having a population of 90,000 or over (now 100,000), the selection of jurors shall be made by a majority of the judges of the superior court.

To Committee on County Government.

S. B. 37. SHARKEY.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1770a.

Adds Sec. 19x25 to the "Juvenile Court Law" act of 1915. **Provides** that in counties of the 25th class (Marin) there shall be one probation officer, whose salary shall be \$200 per month. **Provides** that he shall perform the duties of the attendance officer for the schools of the county and investigator for the board of supervisors on applications for county and state aid, without any additional compensation, except his necessary expenses and such mileage as the board shall fix. (A section, 19x25, was added in 1921, to the Juvenile Court Law which is in the **exact words** of this amendment.

To Committee on County Government.

S. B. 38. SHARKEY.

Amends Sec. 4254 Pol. Code, Marin County Government Bill.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

S. B. 39. DENNETT.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1726.

Amends Sec. 28 of the "Irrigation District Act" of 1897. The word "signed" in line 9 on page 1 of the printed bill is added. The

words "to lands in" in line 10 on page 1 of the printed bill are substituted for the word "of," by this amendment.

The last 6 words in line 1 on page 1 of the printed bill are added and the word "above" is **eliminated** before the word "provided" in the same line. The last two words in line 13, and all of lines 14 to 22, both inclusive, on page 1 of the printed bill, and provide for the mode of reestablishing the boundaries of election precincts so as to make effective the change in the number of directors.

To Committee on Irrigation.

S. B. 40. CHAMBERLAIN.

Deer, Gen. L. No. 2741a.

For full text see Stats. of 1913, p. 469.

Amends Sec. 6 of the act of 1913, to establish police courts in cities of the first and one-half class, etc.

This is a companion measure to A. B. No. 57, for digest see said assembly bill.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 41. CHAMBERLIN.

Amends Sec. 103 of the C. C. P., relating to justices of the peace, etc. This is a companion measure to A. B. No. 58, for digest see said assembly bill.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

S. B. 42. JONES.

Adds Sec. 737f to the Pol. C. Increases the annual salary of each of the judges of the Superior Court of Santa Clara County from \$5,000 to \$6,000.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

S. B. 43. WEST.

Amends Sec. 1608 of the Pol. C., relating to the powers of boards of school trustees and city boards of education, and to the insurance of school districts for liability for injuries to pupils. Adds subdivision 7 as follows: "To insure their respective districts against liability for injuries to school pupils, such insurance to be written in any solvent insurance company, doing business in this state, or in any mutual insurance company organized under the laws of this state."

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 44. WEST.

New General Law, relating to liability for injuries to school children. Provides that all liabilities for personal injuries to school pupils, resulting from defective school premises or appliances or

apparatus owned, operated or maintained, by the school district in which the injury occurs, which, in the absence of this act, would fall upon the several trustees as individuals, shall, from the date this act takes effect, fall solely upon the school district.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 45. WEST.

Amends Sec. 4232 of the Political Code. Alameda County Government Bill.

To Committee on County Government.

S. B. 46.—CREIGHTON.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 3581.

(For text see Stat. 1909, p. 332)

Amends Sec. 1 of the act of 1909, relating to secret fraternities in public schools. **Provides** that it shall be unlawful for any pupil to join, or become, **or be** a member of any secret fraternity, sorority, secret club, etc. (The words in bold face are inserted by the amendment). **Eliminates** the words: "wholly or partly formed from the membership of pupils attending such public schools, or to take part in the organization or formation of any such fraternity, sorority or secret club."

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 47. HART, A. B. JOHNSON AND ROMINGER.

An act entitled "An act to amend Sec. 117 of the Pol. C.," relating to the division of the state into congressional districts and defining and establishing such districts." Evidently intended as a **new general law**.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Reapportionment.

S. B. 48. HART, A. B. JOHNSON AND ROMINGER.

Amends Secs. 78 and 90 of the Pol. C., relating to legislative reapportionment.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Reapportionment.

S. B. 49. SHARKEY.

Companion bill to A. B. 115. For digest see said assembly bill.

To Committee on Public Utilities.

S. B. 50. SHARKEY.

Companion bill to A. B. 114. For digest see said assembly bill.
To Committee on Conservation.

S. B. 51. SHARKEY.

Companion bill to A. B. 17. For digest, see said assembly bill.
To Committee on Roads and Highways.

S. B. 52. INMAN.

New General Law, to be known as the "State Housing Act." This bill is similar in many respects to the state housing act voted on in November, 1922. **Provides** for the regulation of hotels, tenement houses and dwellings, and repeals the "State Tenement House Act," the "State Hotel and Lodging House Act," and the "State Dwelling House Act," all enacted in 1917. **See also S. B. 29.**

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

S. B. 53. MURPHY.

New General Law. To assist persons of moderate means in acquiring lots of ground and building houses thereon. Vests the administration of the provisions of the act in the Commission of Immigration and Housing. **Provides** that any citizen of the United States or any person who has declared his intention of becoming such, whose assets do not exceed \$1,000 and whose gross income does not exceed \$1,800 a year and who can occupy the land to be purchased within six months, may become an applicant to purchase. **Provides** that any person within the state may list any real estate therein for the price at which same will be sold by the person listing same with the Commission. **Provides** the method of sale by contract, for the payments thereon, and that the purchaser shall maintain said land as his place of residence. Appropriates \$2,000,000 therefor. **This is a companion bill to A. B. 94.**

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

S. B. 54. MURPHY.

New General Law. Provides for the manufacture, distribution use and sale of cement and cement products by the Department of Public Works. **Authorizes** said department to make a thorough exploration of materials which may be for such purpose, and employ competent engineers, geologists and chemists. **Empowers** said department to acquire by purchase or by condemnation property suitable for the purposes aforesaid; and to establish and maintain cement plants at such points as it shall deem most feasible and convenient. **Provides** that all cement and cement products manufactured under the authority of the act shall be exclusively for state

purposes, **except** that any surplus may be sold to any county of the state to be used exclusively for public works of such county. No cement or cement products shall be sold, exchanged or given away for private use. Appropriates \$750,000 therefor.

To Committee on Finance.

S. B. 55. MURPHY.

New General Law. Companion bill to A. B. 106. For digest, see said assembly bill.

To Committee on Conservation.

S. B. 56. SLATER.

Appropriates \$2,000 for the 75th fiscal year and \$2,000 for the 76th fiscal year for the restoration, care and upkeep of the Mission San Francisco del Solano, at Sonoma. **Provides** that the act shall take effect **immediately**. There being no urgency, this is impossible. See Sec. 1 article IV of constitution.

To Committee on Finance.

S. B. 57. CANEPA.

Added Sec. 1765 to the Pol. Code. **Provides** that architects employed to construct high school buildings shall file duplicate copies of plans therefor with the Superintendent of Public Instruction at Sacramento. **Provides** that such architects shall enter into an agreement to furnish such duplicate plans and that they shall file such agreement with Superintendent of Public Instruction. **Provides** that Superintendent of Public Instruction shall keep such plans on file and permit free inspection and use of same.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 58. CANEPA.

Amends Sec. 461 of the C. of C. P., relating to estates of deceased persons. **Adds** a provision for a summary hearing in cases where any executor or administrator upon complaint alleges that any person has in his possession or claims title to any personal property belonging to the decedent. If it then appear that the property was owned by the decedent at the time of his death, and that such person has no legal title or right to possession thereof the court may require him to surrender it or give bond pending final determination in the same manner as a civil action.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 59. DENNETT.

Adds Sec. 1779 to the Civil Code. Declares that one who sells cattle, or has reason to believe that such cattle are purchased, for dairy purposes, warrants by the sale that they are free from tuberculosis or other contagious or infectious diseases.

To Committee on Agriculture and Live Stock.

S. B. 60. LYON.

Amends Sec. 1073 of the Pol. Code, relating to elections. Provides that the necessary blanks for elections must be furnished by the boards of supervisors (now by the county clerk).

To Committee on Elections.

S. B. 61. LEWIS.

New General Law. Provides for a state building in Los Angeles.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Finance.

S. B. 62. POWERS.

Appropriates \$76,000 solely for construction and completion of unimproved portions of state highway between town of Alturas in Modoc County and the Nevada-California state line, via Cedarville.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

S. B. 63. NELSON.

Adds Sec. 869a to the Civil Code. Provides that whenever a conveyance of real estate has been or hereafter is made to a person in trust, etc., regardless of whether a joint tenancy or right of supervisionship between such persons is expressed or not, and without indicating a beneficiary, it shall be presumed that the grantee holds in his individual right, and that a conveyance by such grantee, whether purporting to be the act of such grantee in his right, or in his capacity as trustee, shall *prima facie* convey title. Provides that such presumption shall become conclusive after one year.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 64. INMAN.

Adds Sec. 632d to the Penal Code. Limits fishing, or the taking for sale or profit fish of any kind, in any of the rivers or waters of the state or over which the state has concurrent jurisdiction in civil and criminal cases, to citizens of the United States and those who have declared their intention to become such. Does not apply to Indians.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 65. NELSON.

New General Law. Provides for the establishment of a new fish and game district in Humboldt County, to be known as "Kings Peak Game Refuge," defining its boundaries, and providing for the management and protection of game therein, and providing penalties for the violation of any of the provisions of the act.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 66. NELSON.

Adds Sec. 737dd to the Pol. Code. Companion bill to A. B. 90. See add assembly bill for digest.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

S. B. 67. NELSON.

Amends Sec. 1789 of the C. of C. P. Amends said section to read exactly as it read before the amendment of May 16, 1921. Makes it no longer necessary to serve the ward's relatives in guardianship proceedings with notice of pending sale of ward's property.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 68. SLATER.

Deer. Gen. Law No. 2750.

Amends Secs. 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 9 and 10 of "The Presidential Primary Act," of 1915, and repeals Secs. 11, 12 and 13 of said act. Amendment to Sec. 2 consists of the elimination of the words "or after the year 1916, the chairman of the congressional party committee," in lines 1 and 2 of Sec. 2 of original act as it appears on page 1276 of Deer. Gen. Laws. Amendment to Sec. 3 consists of the following: Strikes all words after word "law" in line 4 of said section as it appears on page 1277 of Deer. Gen. Laws to the word "provided" in line 19 of said section on same page of Deer. Gen. Laws; changes words "political organization" in line 27 on page 1278 of Deer. Gen. Laws to words "campaign committee" in line 29 on page 3 of printed bill; changes word "organization of Sec 3 or original bill to "state campaign committee" in line 33 of page 3 of printed bill. Amendment to Sec. 4 consists in changing the words "political organization" in Sec. 4 of original act to words "campaign committee" in line 11 of page 5 of printed bill. Amendment to Sec. 6 of this act consists in striking out of the provisions specifying how an elector shall declare his affiliation with a political party at the polls. Amendment to Sec. 8 of said act consists in the simplifying of the provisions relating to the preparing and mailing of sample ballots and provides that the provisions of the direct primary law shall govern the May presidential primary election, in so far as said provisions are applicable to said election and not inconsistent with the provisions of this act. Secs. 8 and 9 of the original act are combined in Sec. 8 of this act as here amended. Amendment to Sec. 9 consists in a

definition of this act. Amendment to Sec. 10 consists simply in changing the number "1916" of the original act and section to the number "1924" of the amended act and section. Secs. 11, 12 and 13 of original act are **repealed**.

To Committee on Elections.

S. B. 69. SAMPLE.

Adds Sec. 2609 to Pol. Code. Relates to powers and duties of state board of harbor commissioners for the bay of San Diego. **Provides** that said board shall have possession and control of Mission Bay, in San Diego County. **Provides** that when said board shall have located a line for a harbor embankment or sea wall, they shall make a plan and plat of all lands included between said embankment and the shore line of said bay; **requires** the board to file a copy of such plat with the county recorder of San Diego County.

To Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

S. B. 70. SAMPLE.

Amends Sec. 2605 of Pol. Code, relating to the leasing of certain lands included between the sea wall and the shore line of San Diego Bay. Extends terms of leases which may be made from 25 to 50 years.

To Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

S. B. 71. SAMPLE.

Amends Sec. 627 of the Penal Code, relating to the hunting or killing of any game birds or deer on any private property without permission of owner thereof, making violation a misdemeanor. **Adds,** in lines 3 and 4 of page 1 of printed bill, the word "occupied"; **adds** last seven words in line 6, and all words in lines 7, 8 and 9 of said page except the syllable "for-" of word "forbidding" at end of line 9.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 72. SAMPLE.

Amends Sec. 4234 of Pol. C. San Diego County Government Bill.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

S. B. 73. RUSH.

Appropriates \$50,000 for first agricultural district fair. One-half available for 75th fiscal year and one-half available for 76th fiscal year.

To Committee on Agriculture and Live Stock.

S. B. 74. LYON.

Adds title Number XIB to Civil Code, embracing Secs. 592g, 592h, 592j, 592k, 592i, 592m and 592n. **Provides** that corporations may be formed by the voluntary association of three or more persons for the purposes of receiving and maintaining a fund, or funds, and applying the income and principal thereof to **promote the well being of mankind**. Declares the act to be an urgency measure.

To Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 75. LYON.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2331b.

Amends Sec. 35 of the Vehicle Act of 1915. The amendment to subdivision a of Sec. 35 consists in a change of the provisions relating to the disposition and use of fines collected under the Motor Vehicle Act. **Provides** that such fines shall go to and be used for the construction, maintenance, etc., of highways in the limits of the city when such fines are collected following arrests by officers employed by such city.

Amendment to subdivision b of Sec. 35 consists in material changes in wording.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

S. B. 76. LYON.

Deer. Gen. L. and Sup. No. 2348.

Amends Secs. 2, 3, 756 and 856 of the Municipal Corporations Act of 1883. Amendments to section 2 of said act consists in the following: The words "certifying to the genuineness of the said signatures" found in lines 9 and 10 on page 1 of the printed bill are added. All the words after the word "petition" in line 6 page 2 of the printed bill to the word "the" in line 22 of page 2 of the printed bill are added. The last five words in line 42 and all of lines 43 and 44 on page 2 of the printed bill are added.

Amendments to Sec. 3 consist of the following: The last 4 words in line 11, all of lines 12 and 13, and the first eight words in line 14 of page 3 of the printed bill are added. In line 18 of page 3 of the printed bill the word "thirty" has been changed from "sixty" as it was in the original bill. Last eight words in line 36, all of line 37 and first word in line 38, on page 3 of the printed bill are added.

Amendments to Sec. 756 of said act consist in the following: The words "applicable to cities of the fifth class" in lines 48 and 49 on page 3 of the printed bill read "so far as may be applicable" in the original bill and all words following the word "election" in line 6 of Sec. 756 of said act (page 1102 Deer. Gen. L.) are eliminated by this amendment.

Amendments to Sec. 856 consist of the following: The words "applicable to cities of the sixth class" in lines 8 and 9 on page 4 of the printed bill are substituted for the words "so far as the same may be made applicable or such election laws as may be provided for municipalities" as the same appear in the present section. All words

after the word "election" in line 7 of Sec. 856 of the original bill page 1689 of Decr. Gen. L. Sup.) are eliminated by this amendment.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

S. B. 77. LYON.

New General Law. Provides that the board of supervisors of any county may by four-fifths vote determine that county aid may be given to cities in the improvement of certain streets in such cities when such improvement is for the general benefit of the county. **Provides** that the board of supervisors of any county may at any time declare all or portions of a city street to be a part of the county system of highways. The money for the improvement may be paid from the general fund, the general road fund or from moneys received from the state motor vehicle fund.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

S. B. 78. SHARKEY.

New General Law. Relates to safety and protection of railroad employees by prohibiting railroads from requiring employees to ride on top of moving freight cars, except in certain cases, and prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act.

To Committee on Public Utilities.

S. B. 79. SWING.

New General Law. Appropriates \$350,000 to be used for the completion of a highway in San Bernardino County known as the "Old Trails Highway."

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

S. B. 80. BURNETT.

New General Law. Provides that when any private easement of way across real property may be owned by or granted to any person other than the fee simple owner of such real property, where such easement of way is not definitely located or exercised, then the owner in fee of such real property may place substantial improvements upon such real property without regard to such easement, unless the owner shall file written notice with the county recorder designating the location of the easement prior to the time of the commencement of the improvements. Defines the term "substantial improvement." The probable effect of this act would be to permanently establish private rights of way.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 81. HURLEY.

New General Law. Provides for the formation of municipal harbor districts by cities and cities and counties for the purposes of improving, repairing and maintaining their harbors and for the construction of wharves and piers, sea walls, railway spurs, dredging, etc., and providing for the raising of funds by levying and collecting taxes and the sale of bonds for such purpose.

To Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

S. B. 82. HURLEY.

New General Law. Provides for the regulation of the occupation of barbering; creates a state board of examiners for the licensing of barbers and provides ways and means for carrying on their work. Provides for proper sanitation of barber shops and prescribes penalties for violation of the act.

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

S. B. 83. JONES.

New General Law. Creates an irrigation and water conservation district to be known as "The Santa Clara County Irrigation District," subject to the approval of the electors of such district; provides for an election to determine whether such district shall be organized. Provides for the organization, management and control of said district. Authorizes said district to acquire water rights, to acquire and hold property and to exercise all rights and powers of a public corporation. Provides for levy and collection of assessments and for issuance and payments of bonds.

To Committee on Irrigation.

S. B. 84. POWERS.

New General Law. Requires railways and railroad companies to reimburse employees for property losses sustained by moving terminals and division points.

To Committee on Public Utility.

S. B. 85 INMAN AND HARRIS.

Adds 28 new sections to the Civil Code, embraced in title XXIII of part IV of division I thereof, relating to non-profit cooperative associations with or without capital stock organized for the purpose of marketing agricultural products through cooperation. The act seeks to make the distribution of agricultural products between producer and consumer as direct as can be efficiently done; purports to eliminate speculation and waste. Seeks to stabilize marketing of agricultural products. Embraces by its terms all horticultural, viticul-

tural, forestry, dairy, live stock, poultry, bee and farm products. Committee amendments necessary. The title of this bill is defective.

To Committee on Agriculture and Live Stock.

S. B. 86. CANEPA.

Deer, Gen. L. No. 2331b.

Amends Sec. 24 of "Motor Vehicle Act" of 1915, relating to licensing of chauffeurs and other operators of motor vehicles. The last 12 words of line 15, all of lines 16 and 17, and the first six words of line 18 of page 2 of printed bill are added by this amendment, and **provides** that in case any person is arrested for operating without a license it shall be a good defense if such person can show that a valid, unexpired and unrevoked license has been issued to him whether he can produce it or not.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

S. B. 87. ALLEN.

Amends Sec. 1333 of Pol. Code. Provides that in case of vacancies in the representation of this state in **either** house of the United States Congress, the Governor may appoint and commission an elector of this state who possesses the prescribed qualifications to fill such vacancy until such vacancy is filled at the next succeeding general election. Prohibits special election to fill such vacancies.

See article 2, Sec. 3 of constitution of U. S.

To Committee on Elections.

S. B. 88. GATES.

New General Law. Appropriates \$200,000 for construction and improvement of state highway lying between Butte City in Glenn County and a point three miles northerly of the town of Biggs in Butte County.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

S. B. 89. POWERS.

Validates organization of Fall River Valley Irrigation District, Shasta County.

To Committee on Irrigation.

S. B. 90. MURPHY.

Deer, Gen. Law No. 1828.

Amends Sec. 7 of the Labor Bureau Act of 1883, relating to powers and duties of labor commissioner and his deputies. The word "recommended" in line 5 of page 1 of the printed bill is changed from the word "authorizes" in the original act. **Provides** that no court costs shall be payable by the labor commissioner for prosecu-

ing suits to collect assigned wage claims. Line 4 of page 2 of printed bill was apparently inserted by typographical error.

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

S. B. 91. HARRIS.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 4368.

Adds Sec: 57a to California Water Storage District Act of 1921. Provides for the financing of development or reconstruction projects, and projects for the repair and maintenance of irrigation systems in those irrigation sub-districts organized and now functioning under the "California Irrigation District Act" of 1897, when such sub-districts are included wholly within the boundaries of any water storage districts, now organized, or which may at any time be organized under the provisions of the "California Water Storage District Act" of 1921.

To Committee on Irrigation.

S. B. 92. INMAN.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1038.

Adds Sec. 11½ to the Private Employment Agency Act of 1913. Provides that the fees charged by such agencies to applicants for employment shall never exceed 7 per cent of wages or salary earned for first month in case of employment classed as manual, or more than 10 per cent of wages or salary earned the first month in the case of semi-mannual, professional or semi-professional employment. **Defines** how these percentages shall be determined for purposes of this act.

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

S. B. 93. HARRIS.

New General Law. Authorizes and empowers the superintendent of public instruction to sell property in the county of Fresno now occupied and used by the Fresno State Teachers College.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 94. CROWLEY.

Amends Sec. 739 of Pol. Code. Increases salary of librarian of Supreme Court from \$1,500 to \$2,700. Note that this section was amended in 1921 by two acts, conflicting in their provisions, each of which was approved the same day. See S. B. 25.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

S. B. 95. INGRAM.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2348.

Amends Sec. 2 of the Municipal Corporations Act of 1883. All words from and after the semicolon in line 4 of page 2 of printed bill

to the words "the boundaries" in line 18 of page 2 of printed bill **are added** by this amendment. **Effect** of these added words is to permit property owner who owns ten acres or more of land in one tract or contiguous tracts, which is being devoted exclusively to agricultural purposes, to contest the inclusion of such tract or tracts within the boundaries of any proposed municipality. **Provides** that the board of supervisors shall hear and determine such remonstrance. The last five words in line 33, all of line 34, and the first word in line 35 on page 2 of the printed bill are added by this amendment.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

S. B. 96. INGRAM.

Amends Sec. 70 of Civil Code. The amendment **provides** that no marriage shall be performed until 10 days shall have elapsed after the issuance of the license, **except** in cases where the marriage is to be performed for the purpose of legitimatizing a child.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 97. ALLEN.

Amends Sec. 4300f of Pol. Code, relating to juror's fees. Increases juror's fees from \$2 to \$3 for each day's attendance as a grand juror or juror in any court of record in the state. This is the only change.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 98. LYON.

New General Law. Authorizes the state board of control to lease the Norwalk State Hospital lands for purposes of oil development. **Provides** that all moneys which may be received from such leases shall be deposited in the state treasury as an endowment fund for the southern branch of the University of California.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

S. B. 99. LYON.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2389a.

Amends Sec. 1 of Act of 1911, authorizing tax levies for advertising purposes. **Increases** the amount of tax which may be assessed by municipal corporations for park, music and advertising purposes from 15 cents to 25 cents on each \$100.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

S. B. 100. LYON.

Appropriates \$4,695.34 to pay claim of Willard H. Stinson and Son against the state.

To Committee on Finance.

S. B. 101. EDEN.

Amends Sec. 4239 Pol. Code. Orange County Government Act.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

S. B. 102. SAMPLE.

Amends Sec. 1610 of Pol. Code, relating to attendance of children in public elementary schools. Subdivision 4 of this section is amended to require the consent of the board of school trustees or city boards of education of the district in which the children reside as a condition precedent to the attendance of children in other districts. Subdivision 7 is **added** to this section and **provides** that in districts adjoining other states the board of trustees may enter into contracts with the trustees of a contiguous school district in such other state whereby an exchange of school services may be arranged. **Provides**, also, the validity of such an agreement shall depend upon the approval of the County Superintendent of Schools and the Superintendent of Public Instruction. **Forbids** any exchange of funds between the two districts entering into such agreement.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 103. LEWIS.

New General Law. Provides for the erection and construction of state buildings on the state capitol ground for the purpose of housing attaches and employees of the state and making an appropriation of \$90,000 therefor.

To Committee on Finance.

S. B. 104. DENNETT.

Amends Sec. 1668 of Civil Code. The last three words in line 6, all of line 7, first five words in line 8, and all of line 9 of page 1 of the printed bill are added by this amendment. The probable effect will be to make void all contracts which seek to relieve a person from liability for the negligence of himself or his servants.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 105. BREED.

New General Law. Authorizes and controls the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of the state. Changes the law relating to the deposit of state moneys in banks to conform to the provisions of section 16½ of article XI of the constitution as amended by Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 26 of 1921, which was adopted by the people at the November election, 1922. Permits the deposit in banks in this state of moneys belonging to, or in the cus-

tody of the state: also permits the state to deposit moneys in banks outside the state for payment of bonds at the place where such bonds are made payable. Lays down the rules governing such deposits, requiring proper indemnity bond. **Repeals** act of Feb. 28, 1907 (Deer. Gen. L. No. 4134), and all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act.

To Committee on Banking.

S. B. 106. BREED.

New General Law. Practically identical with provisions of S. B. 105 just above, except that it extends the provisions of that act to embrace the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of any county or municipality within this state. **Repeals** act of March 23, 1907 (Deer. Gen. L. No. 1285) and all acts or parts of acts in conflict with the provisions of this act. For digest of this bill see digest of S. B. 105 just above.

To Committee on Banking.

S. B. 107. DENNETT.

Adds a new section No. 737p to the Pol. Code. Increases salaries of judges of Superior Court of Stanislaus County from \$4,000 to \$6,000.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

S. B. 108. CROWLEY.

Amends Sec. 1142 of Pol. Code, relating to election officers. The amendment to subdivision (a) of this section consists of the following: In line 12 of page 1 of printed bill the words "inspectors or judges" have been substituted for the word "officers" in present section. In line 13 of page 1 of printed bill the words "or she" are added after the word "he." Same words added after the word "he" in line 14 page 1 of printed bill. In line 16 of page 1 of printed bill the words "inspectors and judges" are substituted for the words "election officers" in original bill. Last two words in line 18, all of lines 19, 20, 21 and 22 are added by this amendment. The amendment to subdivision (c) consists in the following: The last three words of line 2 and the first word in line 3 of page 2 of the printed bill are added. The amendment to subdivision (d) consists of the following: In line 15 of page 2 of printed bill the words "or herself" are added. In line 16 of page 2 of printed bill the word "then" inserted before the word "engaged." All words from and after the word "herself" in the 8th line from the bottom of page 357 of Deer. Gen. L. Sup. (subdivision (d) of this section) to the word "any" in the 3d line from the bottom of said page are stricken out by this amendment. In the application blank form set out in subdivision (d) of this section the provision regarding civil service examination has been stricken by this amendment. The amendment to subdivision (e) of this section consists in the following: In line

15 of page 3 of printed bill the words "inspector or judges" are substituted for the word "officer." In lines 21 and 22 of page 3 of printed bill the words "nor shall any person be eligible to act as inspector, judge or clerk of election" are substituted for the words "or who has." In line 47 of page 3 of the printed bill the word "inspector" is substituted for the words "election officers." In lines 14 and 15 of page 4 of the printed bill the wording is condensed without changing the sense of the sentence. The amendment to subdivision (i) consists of the following: In line 44, page 5 of the printed bill the word "any" has been added. The last 4 words of line 46, all of line 47 and the first two words of line 48 of page 5 of the printed bill have been substituted for the word "inspector."

To Committee on Elections.

S. B. 109. INMAN.

New General Law. Intended to control the possession, sale and use of fire arms and prescribing penalties. This is a companion bill to A. B. 263. **For digest** see said assembly bill.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 110. INMAN.

Amends Sec. 1591a of the Pol Code, relating to the withdrawal of a school district, or a part thereof, from a union or joint union school district. **Provides** that a petition for such withdrawal must be presented to the board of supervisors of the county or counties in which such union or joint union district is located, signed by **two-thirds** of the heads of families who reside in the district, or part of the district, wishing to withdraw. This section, as added in 1919, permits a **majority** of heads of families to present such a petition, but it did not permit the withdrawal of a portion only of a school district.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 111. GATES.

Amends Sec. 1741 of the Pol. Code, relating to powers and duties of high school boards. The change is as to provisions relating to transportation and **provides** that high school boards may make arrangements for transporting pupils under the provisions of Sec. 1610 of the Pol. Code.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 112. SLATER.

Amends Sec. 2192 of the Pol. Code, relating to the Sonoma Home for Feeble Minded. **Adds** the provision that any peace officer may petition the court for an order admitting imbecile or feeble-minded persons to such hospital.

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

S. B. 113. SAMPLE.

Amends Secs. 51 and 52 of the Civil Code. Amendment to Sec. 51 consists of the following: In lines 6 and 7, of page 1, of the printed bill, the following words are added: "places where ice cream or soft drinks of any lawful kind are sold for consumption on the premises."

Amendment to Sec. 52 consists of the following: In lines 22, 23 and 24, of page 1, of the printed bill, the same words are added as in Sec. 51 above. The sections both relate to discrimination on account of color or race.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 114. ARBUCKLE.

Adds a new section, numbered 733b to the Pol. Code. Provides the procedure for altering the boundaries of high school districts.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 115. BREED.

This is a new act, embracing most of the features of the 1915 Vehicle Act. The section numbers have been changed and much new material has been added. On account of the size of the act, a digest will not be attempted here.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

S. B. 116. BREED.

Appropriates \$10,000 for the completion of the "John Muir Trail," connecting Yosemite National Park with Mount Whitney.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

S. B. 117. SLATER.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 297.

Amends Sec. 28 of an act of March 1, 1909, relating to branch banking. In line 12 of page 1, of the printed bill, the word "such" is substituted for the word "said." By this amendment in line 17 of page 1, of the printed bill, the word "all" is inserted before the word "letter-heads." The last five words in line 23, and the next nine lines, on page 1 of the printed bill are added.

To Committee on Banking.

S. B. 118. BOGGS, INGRAM AND DENNETT.

Appropriates \$2,000,000 for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of the Mother Lode Highway Act of 1921. (Stats. 1921, p. 1608.) The bill should be amended to change numbers of the fiscal years. This appropriation is continuous over a period of 7 years — \$200,000 the first year and \$300,000 each year thereafter. Provision

is made for the collection of the amount appropriated each year the appropriation continues.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

S. B. 119. INGRAM.

New General Law. Declares insects, insect infestations and pine beetles to be a public nuisance, and **provides** for the control, eradication and destruction of said insect pests. Places the enforcement of the act with the State Board of Forestry and provides for zoning or districting for purposes of eradication.

To Committee on Conservation.

S. B. 120. HURLEY.

New General Law. Requires all locomotive engines to be equipped with speed recorders before January 1, 1924. **Provides** penalties.

To Committee on Public Utilities.

S. B. 121. OSBORNE.

New General Law. Provides that superintendents of state hospitals may expend patients' personal funds in the custody of such superintendents, for the benefit of the patients in such hospitals.

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

S. B. 122. SHARKEY.

Deer, Gen. L. Sup. Act No. 2348.

Amends Sec. 862 of the Municipal Act of 1883, relating to the power of boards of trustees, in cities of the **sixth** class. Subdivision 11 of this section is amended by adding a provision authorizing such boards "to acquire and improve public mooring places for water-craft." In subdivision 13 the words "bus lines" are added to the list of subjects which such boards may acquire, own, construct, maintain and operate.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

S. B. 123. DENNETT.

Amends Sec. 1616 of the Pol. Code, relating to kindergartens. The last five words in line 3, all of lines 4 and 5, and the first four words in line 6 on page 1 of the printed bill are added, and change the provisions of this section so as to make the establishment of kindergartens compulsory upon the boards of education of those districts in which the average daily attendance of pupils is 3000 or more, and the words added in lines 11, 12, 13 and 14 of page 1 of the printed bill **provide** that the establishment of kindergartens in districts in

which the attendance is less than 3000 per day shall be at the **discretion** of such board of education.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 124. DENNETT.

Purports to validate all proceedings relative to the formation and the organization of the Mojave River Irrigation District in San Bernardino County.

To Committee on Irrigation.

S. B. 125. GRAY.

Deer. Gen. L. Act No. 2574.

Amends Secs. 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10, 10½, 11 and 13 of the Optometry Act of 1913. The amendment of Sec. 4 consists of the following: In line 15, on page 2 of the printed bill the words "one hundred" have been substituted for "fifty." Subdivision 6 of this section is revamped; the last 18 lines of said subdivision, prescribing in detail the curriculum of study which must be offered to entitle any school to the rank of an **accredited** school of optometry. Subdivision 12 is added to this section, making it the duty of the state board of examiners in optometry to publish and distribute a **syllabus** of the educational requirements of this state for admission as a practitioner of optometry.

Sec. 5 is amended as follows: In line 35 of page 3 of the printed bill the words "twenty-one years" are substituted for "legal majority." Subdivision (c) of Sec. 5 of the original bill is stricken and subdivision (d) is numbered (c) by this amendment. The provision of the original act allowing an applicant to apply "for a certificate of registration as an optometrist without examination" is stricken out. The last 5 lines on page 3 and the first 28 lines on page 4 of the printed bill, set forth in detail the rules of eligibility which must be satisfied by any applicant before he shall be eligible to take the optometry examination.

Sec. 6 is amended as follows: In line 38 of page 4 of the printed bill the word "February" is substituted for "March," and "June" for "September" in line 40 of page 4 of the printed bill. Lines 44 to 49, inclusive, of page 4 of the printed bill, change the provisions of the original act by providing that the applicants shall be examined on those subjects enumerated in subdivision 6 of Sec. 4 of the act, as herein amended. Lines 50, 51 and 52 of page 4, and lines 1 to 4 inclusive, of page 5 of the printed bill are added and provide that no applicant shall pass who fails to obtain a grade of 75 per cent in every subject upon which he is examined.

The amendment to Sec. 9 consists in a change in the penalties prescribed, omitting all mention of second offenses and raising both the minimum and maximum penalties which may be imposed.

The amendment to Sec. 10 relates to sales of eye protective devices, and **provides** that nothing in this act is intended to prohibit

the sale of such articles provided the same are so made as not to have **refractive values.**

Two new subdivisions, 9 and 10, are added to Sec. 10¹/₂, and prohibit dealing in ophthalmic lenses, or the replacing or duplication of the same by any person who is not a licensed optometrist. Defines "ophthalmic lens."

Sec. 11 is amended as follows: Lines 22, 23 and 24 of page 7 of the printed bill correct the awkward wording of the corresponding lines of the original act. The last three words in line 39, all of lines 40 to 47, inclusive, and the first three words of line 48 are added, and prohibit any licensed optometrist from accepting employment to practice optometry from any person or firm not having a valid, unrevoked certificate of registration as an optometrist, except in the case of treatment of individual clients.

Sec. 13 is amended relative to the reports which the secretary of the board must make to the state controller as to the status of the state optometry fund, and provides when and how such reports shall be made.

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

S. B. 126. GRAY.

New General Law. Regulates the profession of dental technician. Defines "Dental technician." Provides that all persons who, after this act becomes effective, engage in such profession shall be examined and licensed. **Provides** that those practicing at the time the act becomes effective may continue **without examination** by paying \$50 for a certificate of registration. **Provides** rules to govern the examination. **Requires** every dental technician to register within ninety days after the issuance of a license to him, in the office of the County Clerk of the county in which his principal place of business is located. **Provides** that every person practicing as a dental technician shall pay an annual license tax of \$5.00, and provides a penalty for neglect or refusal to pay such tax. **Provides** for the imposition and collection of fines for violation of the provisions of this act. **Provides** for revocation or suspension of license in certain cases. Does not apply to persons licensed under the Dental Practice Act of 1915. (Deer. Gen. L. No. 922.)

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

S. B. 127. McDONALD.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2643.

Amends every section except Secs. 2, 3 and 7 of the Teachers Retirement Salary Act of 1913, and adds an entirely new Sec. 9. Sec. 9 of the original act is divided into parts and numbered Secs. 10 and 11 respectively. Secs. 10 and 11 of original act are numbered 12 and 13 but no change is made in the provisions thereof.

In line 3 on page 1 of printed bill the words "an amount set aside from" are substituted for the words "5 per cent of." In line 19 of same page of printed bill the words and figures "June 30, 1924" are substituted for July 1, 1913." All of lines 21 and 22 and the first

word in line 23 of page 1 of printed bill are added. The words and figures "July 1, 1924" in line 4 of page 2 of printed bill are substituted for the words and figures "July 1, 1914." In lines 4 and 5 of page 2 of printed bill the words "inheritance tax fund" are substituted for the words "general fund." In line 6 of page 2 of printed bill the words "total amount" are substituted for the words "five per cent of the."

Sec. 4 is revamped and the words "not less than \$10,000," are substituted for the words "amounting to \$10,000," as it reads in the original act.

Almost the whole of Sec. 5 of the printed bill is added, and relates to the amount which each school teacher shall contribute to such fund and the manner of making such contribution.

In line 35 of page 3 of the printed bill the words "twenty-four dollars" are substituted for the words "twelve dollars." In lines 41 and 42 of page 3 of printed bill the words "seven hundred twenty" are substituted for the words "three hundred sixty."

The last ten lines of Sec. 6 of the printed bill are revamped, but the sense of the provision is very similar to original act.

Subdivision (3) of Sec. 8 of original act is eliminated by this amendment and subdivision (4) of original act is numbered (3). Subdivision (4) of Sec. 8 of the printed bill is added and provides for clerical assistance in the administration of this act and for the payment of such clerical assistants. All of lines 43 to 49 inclusive of page 5 of printed bill are added, but they incorporate some of the provisions of the first twelve lines of Sec. 12 of the original act. All of lines 14 to 18 and the first three words of line 19 of page 6 of the printed bill are added. Lines 35 to 37 inclusive of page 6 of printed bill are added. The words "seven hundred twenty dollars" in line 45 of page 6 of printed bill are substituted for the words "five hundred dollars." The last 4 words in line 47, all of lines 48 to 51 inclusive of page 6 and all of lines 1 and 2 of page 7 are added. The words "seven hundred twenty" in line 25 and the same words in lines 35 and 36 of page 7 are substituted in both cases for the words "five hundred." The last 8 words in line 37, and all of lines 38 to 43 inclusive of page 7 are added. Almost all of Sec. 17 of printed bill is added, but some of provisions of Sec. 15 of original act are incorporated into it. Sec. 18 of printed bill is Sec. 16 of original act with numerous changes and additions. All of Sec. 19 of the printed bill after the word "act" in line 36 of page 8 of said bill is new matter, and relates to who shall be bound by the provisions of this act.

Secs. 20, 21, 22, 23 and 24 of printed bill are nearly identical with provisions of corresponding sections of original bill, but the numbers of the sections are changed.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 128. INMAN.

Appropriates \$20,000 for the promotion of vocational classes in music in high schools.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 129. GODSIL.

Amends Sec. 626 of the Penal Code, relating to protection of game. The words "first day of February" in line 3 and the words "fourteenth day of October" in line 4 of page 1 of the printed bill are substituted for the words "sixteenth day of January" and "thirtieth day of September" respectively. The last six words in line 7 and the first 2 words in line 8 of page 1 of the printed bill are added. The last three words in line 10 and the first five words in line 11 of page 1 of printed bill are added. The words "first day of January" in line 13, and the words "fourteenth day of October" in line 13 on page 1 of printed bill are substituted for the words "sixteenth day of January" and the words "thirty-first day of October," respectively. In line 15, before the word "desert," the word "mountain" is omitted. The words "first day of December" in line 16, and the words "thirty-first day of August" in line 17, on page 1 of the printed bill are substituted for the words "fifteenth day of October" and "fourteenth day of September," respectively. The words "mountain quail" and the last five words in line 19, and all of lines 20 to 26 inclusive on page 1 of the printed bill are added.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 130. NELSON.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1295d.

Amends Sec. 32 of Fish and Game Districts' Act of 1917. Changes the boundaries and area of Fish and Game District 7a.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 131. NELSON.

Amends Sec. 1741 of Pol. Code. Adds to enumerated powers and duties of high school boards the power to build and equip **dormitories** when the same are necessary for the housing of high school pupils.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 132. Nelson.

Adds Sec. 737ee to Pol. Code. Increases salary of judge of the Superior Court of Trinity County from \$3,000 to \$4,000 per year.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

S. B. 133. NELSON.

Amends Sec. 594 of Pol. Code, relating to the classification of insurance business, and to the capital stock of insurance companies. **Classifies** insurance in sixteen divisions, by eliminating common carrier liability insurance, and workmen's compensation insurance, as separate classes, and combining them under the head of **liability insurance** in subdivision 8 of this section as herein amended. Subdivisions

9 to 16 inclusive as hereby amended are numbered 11 to 18 inclusive, respectively, in the present section.

As amended this section reads as it read in 1915, **except** that the words "any other" in line 23 on page 4 of printed bill are substituted for the words "the fifteenth," and the words "the fourth" in line 24 on page 4 of the printed bill are substituted for the words "any other," and the provision in subdivision 16 of this section as it read in Deering's Pol. Code of 1915 to the effect that "no company doing any other class of insurance shall do either the fourth or the fifteenth classes of insurance," is eliminated from the section as herein amended.

To Committee on Insurance.

S. B. 134. NELSON.

Amends Sec. 4265 of Pol. Code. Tehama County Government Act.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

S. B. 135. NELSON.

Amends Sec. 4249 of Pol. Code. Humboldt County Government Act.

To Committee on County Government.

S. B. 136. NELSON.

Amends Sec. 164 of Civil Code, relating to community property. The words "**heretofore or hereafter**" in lines 5 and 6 on page 1 of the printed bill are added by this amendment. In line 9 on page 1 of the printed bill the word "**whenever**" is substituted for the word "**wherever**" by this amendment.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 137. CHAMBERLIN.

New General Law. Requires that the Constitution of the United States shall be taught in the public and private schools of this state, beginning with the eighth grade and continuing through the high school and college or university curriculum.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 138. BOGGS.

Adds Secs. 1519e, 1543c and 1620a to Pol. Code. Sec. 1519e provides that the State Board of Education shall have power to establish rules and regulations to govern the purchase of standard school supplies and equipment by elementary school districts. Sec. 1620a

provides that such supplies for elementary school districts shall be purchased in accordance with the general regulations of the State Board of Education under Sec. 1519e of Pol. Code. **Provides** further that city boards of education and high school boards may purchase standard school supplies and equipment through the agency of the county superintendent of schools. Sec. 1543c provides that the county superintendent of schools shall purchase all standard school supplies and equipment needed in the elementary school districts of his county in accordance with the rules and regulations prescribed by the State Board of Education under Sec. 1519e of the Pol. Code.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 139. INMAN.

New General Law. Provides that January 24th of each year be set apart and designated as "**Gold Discovery Day**," and that all public schools and educational institutions shall observe such day by appropriate exercises and services. A. B. 272 is a companion bill.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 140. McDONALD.

Amends Sec. 195 of Penal Code, relating to excusable homicide. The last 7 words in line 7 and all of lines 8, 9 and 10 on page 1 of the printed bill are added by this amendment, and provide that the mistaken belief that a human being is some (other) animal or object, or that a firearm is not loaded, shall **not constitute an excuse or defense** for homicide.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 141. McDONALD.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 2886.

Amends Sec. 50 of the Railroad Commission Act of 1915, by adding a new subdivision designated subdivision (d), **providing** that no corporation or person shall operate any vessel between points exclusively on the inland waters of this state without having first secured from the Railway Commission a certificate that present or future public necessity and convenience require, or will require such operation. **Provides** further that every applicant for such a certificate shall file an application for the same in the office of the Railroad Commission, and that the Commission shall have power, after hearing, to issue such certificate or to refuse it, as the facts brought out in the hearing may warrant. The subdivision, which in the original act is designated as subdivision (d) of this section is designated as subdivision (e) by this amendment. The title of this act requires certain amendments.

To Committee on Public Utilities.

S. B. 142. McDONALD.

Deer. Gen. L. Act No. 2886.

Amends Sec. 32 of the Railroad Commission Act of 1915. The amendment adds subdivision (c) which provides that the commission shall have power and it shall be its duty after hearing on its own motion or upon complaint to determine the kind and character of facilities and the extent of operation necessary to adequately meet public requirements for service by common carriers and to fix and determine rates for such service where two or more carriers are furnishing service in competition.

To Committee on Public Utilities.

S. B. 143. McDONALD.

New General Law. Limits the hours of labor of females employed as personal or domestic service to nine hours during any one day and fifty-four hours in any one week. **Provides** that the Bureau of Labor Statistics shall enforce the act and **provides** penalty for any violation by employer personally or by employers' superintendent, foreman, housekeeper, or any other agent. **Repeals** all acts in conflict.

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

S. B. 144. McDONALD.

Deer. Gen. L. Act 2140a.

New General Law. Regulates the procuring of persons to take the places of employees in anticipation of strikes, lockouts or other labor trouble. **Prohibits** procuring persons to fill such places by means of advertisement or other solicitation **unless** such advertisement states plainly and explicitly that a strike, lockout, etc. exists or is anticipated in the establishment where such persons are to be employed. **Makes** the act inoperative in certain cases upon a determination of the labor commissioner, and vests him with certain powers therein. Punishes violations by fine of \$100 and states a liability on the part of the violator to the persons procured for their reasonable expenses and loss of time. **Repeals** an act to regulate advertisements and solicitations for employees during strikes, lockouts and other labor troubles. (Deer. Gen. L. No. 2140a.)

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

S. B. 145. McDONALD.

New General Law. Requires that every employer of women and minors shall keep a register of names, addresses and occupations of such persons, together with a record of wages paid each month, week or day to such women or minor. **Provides** that the labor commissioner or his deputies may inspect such records. **Provides** penalty for violation.

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

S. B. 146. BOGGS.

Deer. Gen. Law Sup. No. 1275f.

Adds Sec. 51½ to The California Fruit and Vegetable Standardization Act of 1919. **Provides** that all grapes, shipped as "California Commercial Class" which standard is established as provided in Sec. 10 of the act, must be shipped in a standard "California Lug Box" plainly marked "California Commercial Grade," and that the contents of such boxes shall not include more than 10 per cent by weight of broken, crushed, leaky or moldy grapes.

To Committee on Agriculture and Live Stock.

S. B. 147. INMAN.

New General Law. **Provides** that the board of trustees of any reclamation district in this state may submit to the land owners in such district the proposition of issuing new bonds for the purpose of refunding outstanding bonds as they may become due, where such district has an outstanding indebtedness evidenced by bonds lawfully issued at least nine years prior thereto. **Provides** that it shall be the duty of the board to call such election upon the presentation to the board of a petition signed by the owners of more than one-half the land in the district. **Provides** that the refunding bonds shall be issued substantially in the manner and in the form required by law for the issuance of other bonds in the district, and disposed of in a similar manner. **Provides** that all unpaid assessments on which the original bonds of any reclamation district have been issued shall continue to bear interest at the rate of 7 per cent until such refunding bonds have been fully paid and discharged. **Adopts** all of the provisions of **Sec. 3480 of the Pol. Code** so far as said provisions are applicable.

To Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

S. B. 148. INMAN AND SHARKEY.

Continuously appropriates sum of \$600,000 for the purpose of constructing a bridge across the San Joaquin River at a point five miles above the town of Antioch, Contra Costa County, from the Contra Costa County shore across West Island, to Sherman Island, Sacramento County, near the mouth of Mayberry Slough. **Provides** that \$200,000 shall be available in the seventy-fifth fiscal year, \$200,000 in the seventy-sixth fiscal year, and \$200,000 during the seventy-seventh fiscal year. **Provides** for the levy and collection of taxes to raise a sum equal to this appropriation.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

S. B. 149. LYON.

Deer. Gen. Law No. 3937.

Amends Secs. 2, 3, 4, 9, 11, 13, 16 and 17 of the **Street Improvement Act of 1911.** The amendment to Sec. 2 consists in the following: In line 12 on page 1 of the printed bill the words "in the opinion of the

city council" are added. The long list of objects set out in Sec. 2 of the original act, upon which the city council is authorized to perform work, is divided by means of subdivisions, designated (a) to (i), inclusive, of Sec. 2, as amended, into classes of work.

The **amendment** to Sec. 3 consists in the following: The resolution of intention to do any work is by this amendment required to state the location of the proposed work of improvement, and is required to be detailed in the information stated therein. The provisions as to publication of such resolution of intention to do work are altered but the general sense of the provisions remains the same. Other provisions are added in regard to injuries resulting to private property by reason of doing work on a different grade than the grade which may have been formally established by the city council.

In Sec. 4 as amended, lines 8 to 17 inclusive of page 4 of printed bill are revamped but the general purport is not altered.

The **amendment** to Sec. 9 is as follows: The last 5 words of line 22 and the first 7 words of line 23 on page 4 of the printed bill are added. The last 5 words on line 24 and all of lines 25 and 26 on page 4 of the printed bill are added. In Sec. 11 the provision as to publication of the Notice of Award of Contracts is changed in several minor details. In Sec. 13 the words "**twenty-five days**" in line 37 on page 4 of the printed bill are substituted for the words "**fifteen days.**"

The **amendment** to Sec. 16 is as follows: In line 13 on page 5 of the printed bill the words "**expiration of said ten days**" are substituted for the words "**date of first publication of the aforesaid notice of award.**" In line 17 on page 5 of the printed bill the words "**along the line of the work**" are substituted for the words "**as provided in this act.**" In line 27 on page 5 of the printed bill the words "**incurred up to the time of entry into the contract**" are added.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 150. LYON.

Amends Sec. 171 of the C. C. P. Changes the word "**county**" to the word "**township,**" in the last line of the printed bill.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 151. LYON.

Amends Sec. 103 of the C. C. P. In line 10 on page 2 of the printed bill the word "**township**" is substituted for the word "**county.**" The same change is made as to word "**township**" in line 12 of page 2 of printed bill.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 152. LYON.

Amends Sec. 172 of the C. C. P. The last word of line 3 and first 4 words of line 4 of the printed bill are added by this amendment.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 153. LYON.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 4320.

Amends Sees. 20, 40 and 47 of the Uniform Warehouse Receipts Act of 1909. The **amendment** to Sec. 20 is as follows: The last 11 words in line 6 and all of line 7 and the first 6 words in line 8 on page 1 of the printed bill are added. The word "**purpose**" in line 16 on page 1 of the printed bill is substituted for the word "**purport.**" The **amendment** to Sec. 40 is as follows: All subdivisions of the section are eliminated. The words "**however such possession may have been acquired**" in lines 24 and 25 of page 1 of the printed bill are substituted for the words "**to whom the possession or custody of the receipt has been intrusted by the owner.**" The **amendment** to Sec. 47 is as follows: The words "**deprived of the possession of the same by loss, theft, fraud, accident, mistake, duress or confusion,**" in lines 8, 9 and 10 on page 2 of the printed bill are substituted for the words "**induced by fraud, mistake or duress to intrust the possession or custody of the receipt to such person.**" The words "**in good faith**" in line 12 on page 2 of the printed bill are added.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 154. HART.

Deer. Gen. Law and Sup. No. 297
and Page 842 Civil Code.

Amends Sees. 19, 21a, 24a, 37, 46, 61, 62, 65, 70, 80, 123 and 139 of the "Bank Act" of 1909: **adds** Sees. 35a, 49a to said act. **Repeals** Sec. 36 of said act.

The **amendment** to Sec. 19 changes the capital and deposit liabilities enumerated in the subdivisions.

The **amendment** to Sec. 21a permits banks without the approval of the superintendent of banks to borrow any amount of the moneys of the United States or any other governmental or political subdivision.

Sec. 24a is **amended** as follows: The last 7 words on line 27 and all of lines 28 to 31 inclusive on page 3 of the printed bill are added, and provide for a fee of \$5.00 whenever it is necessary for the superintendent of banks to affix his official seal to any instrument.

Sec. 35a is **added** by this amendment, and **provides** that nothing in this act contained shall be taken as prohibiting the purchase by any bank of any bonds or interest bearing notes or obligations of the United States, or those for which the faith and credit of the United States are pledged for the payment of principal or interest, or those issued under authority of the United States.

Sec. 36, relating to the purchase of bonds, is repealed. Said section reads as follows: No commercial bank receiving deposits of money shall purchase or agree to purchase any bond issue in excess of five percentum of its assets, except bonds of the United States, of the State of California, of the counties, cities and counties, cities or school districts of this state, or bonds of any irrigation district such as are legal for investment for savings banks.

Sec. 37 is **amended** as follows: Lines 41 to 50 inclusive on page 4 of the printed bill are added and permit any bank to purchase or otherwise acquire, own and hold any part of the capital stock or joint

stock of banks organized and operating under the "Federal Farm Loan Act," under the limitations there contained.

Sec. 46 is **amended** as follows: The last 4 words in line 1 and the first 2 words in line 2 on page 5 of the printed bill are added. All of line 4 and the first word in line 5 on page 5 of the printed bill are added. The last 6 words in line 5, all of lines 6 and 7 and the first 3 words in line 8 on page 5 of the printed bill are added for the purpose of harmonizing the act with the repeal of Sec. 36.

Sec. 49a is **added** and provides that **any national banking association** whose principal place of business is in the state is authorized to do all acts which banks of this state are permitted to do, or perform under any provisions of this act, **provided** that such national banking associations must comply with the conditions and restrictions which are prescribed for banks of this state.

Sec. 61 is **amended** as follows: The phrase "or those issued under the authority of the United States" in lines 51 and 52 on page 5 of the printed bill is added. All of lines 38 and 39 on page 6 of the printed bill are added by this amendment. This last addition would allow savings banks to invest in all **bonds that are legal for investment in New York or Massachusetts.**

The amendments to section 62 consist of the following: The word "public" is eliminated by this amendment just before the word "moneys" in line 19 on page 11 of the printed bill. The words "and cities" in line 20 on page 11 of the printed bill are added. The words "and of any other governmental or political subdivision of the State of California, the funds of which are required by law to be secured if deposited in banks," in lines 21 to 24 inclusive, on page 11 of the printed bill are added.

The amendment to this section would allow **savings banks** to borrow, without the previous approval of the superintendent of banks, moneys of any governmental or political subdivision of this state where the funds of such subdivision are required by law to be secured if deposited.

Sec. 65 is **amended** as follows: The words "or a member of the advisory board" in lines 38 and 39 on page 12 of the printed bill are added. This would allow a loan to be made by a **savings bank to a member of the advisory board of such bank** under certain restrictions.

Sec. 70 is revamped. The section as it now stands allows the deposit of the bonds mentioned as a bailment. The amendment would allow the bank to return the identical bond deposited or **other bonds of the same issue, par value and character.**

The amendment to Sec. 80 is as follows: The words "provided, further, that the aggregate of acceptances growing out of domestic transactions shall in no event exceed fifty per centum of such capital and surplus," which appear in the original act, are eliminated, following the word "surplus" in line 24 on page 15 of the printed bill. This would remove the **limitation** now contained as to acceptances growing out of domestic transactions.

Sec. 123 is **amended** as follows: Under the provisions of the present section each bank is required to pay annually into the state banking fund its proportionate share of \$110,000. By this amendment each bank would be required to pay annually a sum "not to exceed

one one-hundredth of 1 per cent of its total capital, surplus, and reserve and contingent funds, undivided profits, and deposits, but not including secured deposits of public moneys" into said fund.

Sec. 139 is **amended** as follows: The words "(of) a clearing house association of which the examined bank is a member" in lines 18 and 19 on page 18 of the printed bill are added. The word "or" should be inserted by amendment after the word "San Francisco" in line 18 on page 18 of the printed bill.

To Committee on Banking.

S. B. 155. LYON.

New General Law. Provides that the Governor shall appoint three commissioners for a term of 4 years to serve without compensation, who shall constitute and be known as the "Commission on Uniform State Laws." **Provides** for traveling expenses and their actual disbursements in effecting the objects of this act, not to exceed \$500 in any one year. Makes it the duty of one commissioner to attend the meetings of the national conference of Commissions on Uniform State Laws. **Provides** that it shall be the duty of said commission to promote, as far as practical, the passage of the various uniform acts recommended by the national conference. **Appropriates** \$1,000 for the expenses of said commission.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 156. LYON.

Adds Sec. 2036a to C. C. P. Provides that whenever it shall be necessary to take the deposition of a witness in this state on a matter pending in a foreign jurisdiction that such witness may be compelled to appear and testify in the same manner and by the same process as are employed for the purpose of taking testimony in proceedings pending in this state.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 157. LYON.

Adds Sec. 1900a to the C. C. P. Makes all session laws or statutes printed by authority of any state or foreign country or proved to be recognized by the courts of such state or country, **prima facie** evidence of the **original statutes or session laws.**

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 158. LYON.

Amends Sec. 1973 of the C. C. P., and adds Sec. 1973a to said Code. Both sections relating to the **statute of frauds.** Subdivision 4 of the present section relating to oral agreements for the sale of goods, chattels or things in action, is eliminated by this amendment, and the subdivisions are re-numbered. **Sec. 1973a provides** that no oral con-

tract of sale for any goods or choses in action of the value of \$500 or upwards shall be enforceable unless the buyer shall accept part of the goods or choses in action, and actually receive the same, or give something in earnest to bind the contract, or in part payment. Further **provides** that subdivision 1 of this section shall apply to goods to be made and completed in future, but **shall not apply** in the case of goods to be manufactured by the seller especially for the buyer and which are not suitable for sale to others in the ordinary course of the seller's business. **Defines** the term "acceptance of goods" within the meaning of this section.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 159. LYON.

Deer. Gen. Law. No. 3930.

Amends Secs. 11 and 12 $\frac{1}{4}$ of the "Vrooman Act" The amendment to Sec. 11 consists of the following: The last three words in line 14 and the first 11 words in line 15 of page 2 of the printed bill are added. This makes the decisions and determinations of the city council conclusive to all persons entitled to appeal as to errors, etc., which might have been remedied and avoided by the council **"during the progress of the proceedings or which it can at that (?) time remedy."** Lines 16 to 19 inclusive of page 2 of the printed bill are revamped. The following language, "No assessment, warrant, diagram or affidavit of nonpayment after the issue of the same and no proceedings prior to the assessment shall be held invalid by any court for any error, informality or other defect in the same where the resolution" is substituted for "and no assessment shall be held invalid, except upon appeal to the city council, as provided in this section, for any error, informality, or other defect in any of the proceedings prior to the assessment, or in the assessment itself, where notice," as the same appears in the present section. The last 7 words in line 23 and the first two words of line 24 on page 2 of the printed bill are added. The amendment to Sec. 12 $\frac{1}{4}$ is as follows: In line 35 on page 2 of the printed bill the word "may" is substituted for the word "shall." In line 22 on page 3 of the printed bill the word "city" is omitted by clerical error just preceding the word "directing." Lines 23 to 45 inclusive on page 3 of the printed bill are revamped, and relate to the manner of making **reassessments** to equalize the burdens of any improvement under this act. The last two words in line 49, all of line 50 and the first seven words in line 51 on page 3 of the printed bill are added. The first three words in line 6, all of lines 7 to 13 inclusive, and the first five words in line 14 on page 4 of the printed bill are added and **provide** what shall be included in the **notice of reassessment**. The last 11 words in line 22, all of line 23 on page 4 of the printed bill, and the first word in line 24 are added. The last seven words in line 36, all of line 37 and the first three words in line 38 on page 4 of the printed bill are added. The last 4 words in line 41 and the first 4 words in line 42 on page 4 of the printed bill are added. The last four words in line 45, all of lines 46 to 49 inclusive, and the first two words in line

50 on page 4 of the printed bill are added, and **provide** for the cancellation of the original assessment when the **reassessment** is required.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

S. B. 160. LYON.

The Uniform Sale of Goods Act. Repeals title I and title II of part IV of the division III of the Civil Code, embracing Secs. 1721 to 1798 and 1804 to 1807 inclusive, and also Secs. 1083, 1136, 1140, 1141, 1142, 3049, 3078, 3079, 3080, 3308, 3309, 3310, 3311, 3312, 3313 and 3314, all relating to sales. Amends certain sections and adds others to said code as follows:

Amends Sec. 36, relating to contracts which a minor can not dis-affirm, by adding to the end thereof the following: "provided, that these things have been actually furnished to him or to his family."

Amends Sec. 658 by the addition to subdivision 4 of the existing section of a provision that for the purposes of sales, implements, industrial growing crops, and things attached to or forming a part of the land, which are agreed to be severed under sale or before contract of sale, shall be treated as goods. **Amends** Sec. 660 by the addition of the same provision as is added to Sec. 658. **Amends** Sec. 1612 by exempting from the operation thereof cases provided for in Secs. 1729 and 1730 of this code. **Amends** Sec. 1613 by exempting from the operations thereof the same cases as above. **Amends** Sec. 1624 by the elimination therefrom of the provisions relating to agreements for sale of goods, chattels, or things in action, at a price not less than \$200. **Amends** Sec. 1689 by adding a sixth subdivision, reading "or under the circumstances provided for in Secs. one thousand seven hundred eighty-five and one thousand seven hundred eighty-nine." **Amends** Sec. 3387 by omitting from the end thereof the following words: "and the breach of an agreement to transfer property can be thus relieved."

Adds a new title I of part IV of division III of said code, consisting of Secs. 1721 to 1800, both inclusive. **Adds** Secs. 35a, providing that if the goods which a minor has sold have been transferred to an innocent purchaser for value without notice, said minor cannot recover said goods. **Adds** Sec. 1097, which provides that the agreement to sell real property binds the seller to execute a conveyance in form to pass the title. **Adds** Sec. 1098 which provides that an agreement by the seller of real property to give the usual covenants binds him to insert in the grant covenants of "seisin," "quiet enjoyment," "further assurance," "general warranty," and "against encumbrances." **Adds** Sec. 1099, providing the form the above named covenants shall take in a conveyance. **Adds** Sec. 1624a, which sets out the operation of the statute of frauds in reference to goods or choses in action of the value of \$500 or upwards.

The new title above referred to deals with the sale of goods, contracts, rights of unpaid sellers against the same, actions for breach of contracts thereon, and the interpretation thereof; deals with the

formation, formalities, subject matter, and the condition and warranties in contract; deals with sales and contracts to sell with capacity to make the same, and liabilities for necessities.

Certain amendments are necessary to the bill.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 161. EDEN AND SWING.

New General Law. Provides that the governor shall appoint the attorney general and the state engineer to constitute a commission to confer with a commission of the State of Arizona in respect to the location and relocation of the common boundary of California and Arizona, and report concerning the same and concerning an agreement between said states as to measures for the straightening, controlling and improvement of the channel of the Colorado river. Authorizing the expenditure by said commission of such sums of money as may be necessary for such purposes out of appropriations of attorney general and state engineer (?).

To Committee on Federal Relations.

S. B. 162. DENNETT.

Amends Sec. 1561 of the C. C. P. Eliminates the words "without order of the court, and" after the word "estate" in line 6 of the printed bill. Eliminates the word "such" before the word "sales" in line 8 of the printed bill. Adds the last two words in line 12 and all of lines 13 and 14 of the printed bill, providing that the necessity, advantage or benefit of the sale to the estate need not be shown.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 163. DENNETT.

Adds Sec. 561 to the C. C. P. Provides that the interest of a defendant in personal property belonging to the estate of a decedent, whether as heir, legatee, or devisee, may be attached, and provides rules to regulate the procedure incident to the levying of such attachment.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 164. DENNETT.

Amends Sec. 1386 of Civil Code, relating to succession to property of decedents. The last 11 words in line 8 and the first word in line 9 on page 3 of the printed bill are added. The last 9 words in line 12 and the first word in line 13 on page 3 of the printed bill are added.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 165. DENNETT.

Amends Sec. 2009 of the C. C. P. and relates to the use of affidavits. The amendment, in addition to the matters in which an affidavit can now be used, authorizes the use of an affidavit as evidence in an **uncontested probate proceeding.**

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 166. OSBORNE.

Amends Sec. 1203 of the Penal Code. This section relates to the **probation** of persons arrested for crime after plea or verdict of guilty and the imposition or execution of sentence during the term of probation or the imposition of jail sentence, or fine, or both, or other conditions to fit the crime in connection with probation; the offices of adult probation officer, assistant adult probation officer, and deputy adult probation officer in counties of the second, third, fourth, fifth and sixth classes, and sets out the powers and duties, and salaries of such officers.

Every subdivision of this section, except subdivisions (h) to (l), both inclusive, is revamped and added to in so many particulars that it is impossible to note in detail all the changes in this digest.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 167. BARNETT, CANEPA, CROWLEY, GODSIL, GRAY, McDONALD AND MURPHY.

Appropriates \$180,000 to pay not to exceed one-half of the expense of maintenance of the fireboats "David Seannell" and "Dennis Sullivan" owned by the city and county of San Francisco. **Requires** that the board of fire commissioners of the city and county of San Francisco make a monthly itemized account of the expenses of maintenance of said fire boats.

To Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

S. B. 168. MURPHY.

New General Law. "Old Age Pension Act." **Provides** that the governor shall appoint an old age pension commission for the purpose of administering this act, and provides for compensation of the members of said committee. **Provides** that a county old age pension board shall be established in each county, or city and county in this state, to administer the provisions of this act, the members of which shall serve without pay.

Provides that every person who has attained the age of **seventy** or more years, and who possesses other necessary qualifications herein enumerated, shall be entitled to the benefits of an old age pension, such benefits to depend, in nature and amount, upon the conditions of each individual case, and the amount of relief required. **Provides** rules for the administration of this act. **Provides** fines, punishments

and rules of procedure in any cases of abuse or violation of the provisions of this act. **Provides** that the funds for payment of old age pensions shall be furnished by the State of California. **Provides** that all expenses incurred by, and salaries of, the old age pension commissioners shall be borne by the state and **appropriates** \$100,000 for the next two years for this purpose. **Provides** that all expenses incurred by the county, or city and county boards in the administration of this act shall be borne by the county, or city and county. **Provides** for annual reports by the old age pension commission.

To Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

S. B. 169. JONES.

Amends Sec. 602 of the Pol. Code, relating to corporations sole. The word "president" in line 7 on page 1 of the printed bill, is added. The same word is added in line 2, line 6, line 9, and line 11 on page 2 of the printed bill. The word "incorporation" in line 21 on page 2 of the printed bill **should be "corporation."**

To Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 170. W. F. GATES.

New General Law. Confirms and validates all acts and proceedings incident to the organization of school districts in this state where such district has functioned as a district for **one** year prior to the taking effect of this act.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 171. W. F. GATES.

New General Law. **Validates** bonds of school districts and high school districts, whether such bonds have been already issued or sold, or are to be issued and sold in future. **Provides** for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest on such bonds. Does not seek to validate bonds maturing at over 40 years, but does purport to legalize bonds in excess of the limitation prescribed by law in certain cases.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 172. W. F. GATES.

New General Law. Confirms and validates changes in the boundaries of school districts and high school districts where the change was made more than one year prior to the taking effect of this act and where a district tax has been levied.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 173. W. F. GATES.

Deer. Gen. Law and Sup. No. 1174.

Amends the title and Sec. 1 of the act of 1881, relating to fire departments in unincorporated towns and villages. The words "and unincorporated territory lying contiguous to an incorporated city or town" in lines 7, 8 and 9 on page 1 of the printed bill are added to the title by this amendment. The same words which are enclosed in quotation marks just above are added to Sec. 1 in lines 15 and 16 on page 1 of the printed bill. The words "any of the provisions of this act, relating to unincorporated towns and villages shall, wherever applicable, apply to unincorporated territory lying contiguous to an incorporated city or town" are added to the end of Sec. 1 by this amendment and are found in lines 18, 19, 20 and 21 on page 1 of the printed bill.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

S. B. 174. POWERS.

New General Law. Authorizes the making of the survey and the preparation of plans and estimates, and the construction of a highway from the town of Alturas, in Modoc County to New Pine Creek on the Oregon-California line by the most direct and practical route connecting with the Oregon state highway. **No appropriation is made.**

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

S. B. 175. HARRIS.

Deer. Gen. Law and Sup. No. 4340.

Amends Sec. 23 of the Water Commission Act of 1913. The words "provided that no fee in excess of one thousand dollars shall be required for the issuance of any permit," in lines 38 and 39 on page 3 of the printed bill are added by this amendment.

To Committee on Irrigation.

S. B. 176. BOGGS.

Amends Sec. 4237 of Pol. Code. San Joaquin County Government Act.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

S. B. 177. CROWLEY.

New General Law. Provides for the establishment of a state hospital for the care, custody and maintenance of **inebriates** and **drug habitues**. Authorizes the governor to appoint a board of managers consisting of five members, to hold office for the term of four years and to serve without compensation, except as to actual traveling and other necessary expenses, to administer the provisions of this act. Authorizes such board to acquire the Santa Rosa Islands off the coast

of Santa Barbara County for a hospital site. **Provides** rules for the government and management of said hospital, and makes an appropriation of \$50,000 for the erection and furnishing of said hospital. **Repeals** all acts in conflict.

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

S. B. 178. CROWLEY.

New General Law. **Provides** that any person owning in fee any salt marsh or tide lands in this state, sold under and pursuant to the act of April 1, 1870 (see **note** to Deer Gen. L. No. 2858), which authorized the survey and disposal of certain salt marsh and tide lands belonging to the state, may apply to the **surveyor general** of this state to lease any adjoining salt marsh or tide lands owned by the state, lying between the boundary of the lands owned by such person and the line of mean low tide of the stream upon which said lands sought to be leased border. **Provides** that such leases shall not exceed the term of 35 years from the date of the lease. **Provides** other rules which the surveyor general must observe in leasing said lands.

To Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

S. B. 179. McDONALD, BURNETT, GRAY, CANEPA, MURPHY, CROWLEY AND GODSIL.

New General Law. The San Francisco Harbor Act. This bill would grant in trust to the city and county of San Francisco all the interest of the state in and to a portion of the harbor of San Francisco, with all improvements, rights, privileges, easements and appurtenances, and defines the boundaries thereof. **Provides** for the control and management of such portion of said harbor. **Provides** for the disposal of revenues derived from the operation of said harbor. **Provides** for the sale of bonds authorized but not sold. **Provides** for the payment of interest on bonds and for the redemption of the same. **Provides** that the property shall be used by the city and county for the conduct and improvement of the harbor for the construction, maintenance and operation thereof of wharves, docks, piers, railways, etc., necessary for the promotion of commerce. Fixes other terms and conditions of the grant. Reserves the right to fish in the waters connected with the harbor to the people of the State of California.

To Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

S. B. 180. McDONALD. • Deer Gen. Law and Sup. No. 2886.

Amends Sec. 50 of the Railroad Commission Act of 1915. The words "whose railroad is operated primarily by electric energy" are eliminated from this section by the amendment after the words "no railroad corporation" in line 15 on page 1 of the printed bill. Subdivisions (b), (c) and (d), relating to the exercise of rights under

franchise, the filing of articles of incorporation and to the state's reserve power over public utilities are **eliminated**.

To Committee on Public Utilities.

S. B. 181. McDONALD.

Adds Sec. 1171 to Penal Code. **Provides** that any person, who, after being convicted of a felony in this state, is released on parole and for a period of ten years or more, violates none of the terms or conditions of his parole, shall be deemed to have served his unexpired term, and shall be entitled to release from the terms and conditions of his parole.

To Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

S. B. 182. McDONALD.

Signed by Governor. Chapter 5.

S. B. 183. SHARKEY.

Amends Sec. 4242 of Pol. Code. **Contra** Costa County Government Act.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

S. B. 184. SHARKEY.

Adds Secs. 4463 and 4464 to Pol. Code. Sec. 4463 defines the words "established", "printed" and "published," as used in Sec. 4460 of this code, in relation to newspapers of general circulation. Sec. 4464 relates to appeals to the Supreme Court from judgments of a Superior Court in any proceeding instituted under Sec. 4462.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 185. HANDY.

Amends Sec. 4257 of the Pol. Code. **Mendocino** County Government Act.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

S. B. 186. CANEPA.

Signed by Governor. Chapter 6.

S. B. 187. CANEPA.

Appropriates \$50,000 for an agricultural, citrus and deciduous fruit exhibition in the city and county of San Francisco.

To Committee on Agriculture and Live Stock.

S. B. 188. E. J. GATES.

New General Law. Authorizes the state board of control to lease the Norwalk State Hospital lands, in the county of Los Angeles. **Provides** that out of the money which may be realized from such leases the board shall purchase a new site for, erect a new state hospital to house the present inmates of the Norwalk State Hospital, and completely furnish the same. **Provides** that any residue from such moneys shall go into the general fund in the state treasury.

To Committee on Oil Industries.

S. B. 189. DENNETT.

Repeals Sec. 1527 of the C. C. P., relating to probate sales of personal property. Said section reads as follows:

"Whenever it appears to the court on any hearing of an application for a sale of real property, that it would be for the interest of the estate that personal property of the estate, or some part of such property, should first be sold, the court may decree the sale of said personal property, or any part of it, and the sale thereof shall be conducted in the same manner as if the application had been made for the sale of such personal property in the first instance."

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 190. DENNETT.

Amends Secs. 1578 and 1579 of the C. C. P., relating to probate petitions for leave to mortgage or lease. The amendment to Sec. 1578 consists of the following: In paragraph 1, line 11, page 1 of the bill substitutes a general clause for the enumeration of specific purposes now contained in paragraphs 1, 2 and 3 of subdivision **first** of the present section. Paragraph 2, lines 13 and 14 on page 1 of the printed bill, is the same as paragraph 4 of subdivision **first** of the present section. Paragraph 3; lines 15 to 17, inclusive, of the printed bill, is substantially the same as paragraph 5 of subdivision **first** of the present section. Subdivision **second** directs the clerk to set date for hearing, **whereas**, the present section requires the court to set the date. Subdivision **third** permits service by mail or publication. Subdivision **fourth** cuts out unnecessary detail occurring in the first ten lines of subdivision **fourth** of the present section. Subdivision **fifth** eliminates unnecessary details in the first six lines of subdivision **fifth** of the present section. Subdivision **sixth** of the present section is not changed.

Sec. 1579 is amended as follows: The changes made in subdivision **first** and **second** of this section by the amendment are identical with the changes made in subdivision **first**, **second** and **third** of Sec. 1578. In subdivision **fourth** of this section the words "and if, upon the hearing, the court," in lines 51 and 52 on page 3 of the printed bill are added. In subdivision **fifth** of this section unnecessary detail in the first five lines of the present section is eliminated. No change is made in subdivision **sixth** of the present section.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 191. BREED.

New General Law. Fixes a license fee upon the business of refining, manufacturing, producing or compounding **motor vehicle fuel** and selling same in this state or importing into and using or selling for use in this state such motor vehicle fuels, the license being measured at **two cents per gallon thereon**. Provision is made for the return to the purchaser of such license fee upon all such fuels used for other than purposes of propelling motor vehicles upon the highways of this state. **Provides** for the collection of the license and the distribution thereof, **50 per cent to the counties** in proportion to the number of vehicles registered in each county as compared to the whole number of vehicles registered in the state, and **50 per cent to the state highway maintenance fund**, expressly providing that **all of such money shall be used for state highway maintenance and upkeep** and for no other purposes. **Repeals** all acts in conflict.

To Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

S. B. 192. CROWLEY.

Deer. Gen. Law No. 2664.

Amends Secs. 2, 3, 4 and 15 of the Pharmacy Act of 1905. Lines 9 to 12 inclusive on page 1 of the printed bill are added to Sec. 2 of the act by this amendment, and require that a registered pharmacist must be twenty-one years of age, and a citizen of the United States.

Subdivisions (1) to (5), both inclusive, are added to Sec. 3 of the present law and provide the necessary qualifications which must be possessed by any person to entitle him to registration as a **licentiate** in pharmacy.

Subdivisions (1), (2) and (3) are added to Sec. 4 of the present law, and provide the necessary qualifications which must be possessed by any person to entitle him to registration as an **assistant pharmacist**.

Sec. 15 is revamped, but there is no substantial change in the sense of the provisions thereof, except the added provision that no person shall be registered as an apprentice who is less than **sixteen** years of age at the date of filing his application for registration.

The provisions of the bill are not to be effective until January 1, 1924.

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

S. B. 193. OSBORNE.

Amends Sec. 2982 of the Pol. Code. The section as amended provides that the assistant to the secretary of the State Board of Health shall be a civil executive officer, and that the State Board of Health shall have power, with the concurrence of the State Board of Control, to employ and fix the compensation of the secretary and assistant to the secretary of the State Board of Health and of such other additional clerical and professional assistants as may be necessary. Under the present section the secretary of the State Board of Health receives an annual salary of \$4,500, and the assistant secretary \$2,400. The amendment further provides that the salaries of the additional clerical and professional assistants herein provided for shall be paid out of the sum appropriated for the support of the State Board of Health. The amendment would abolish certain statutory positions.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

S. B. 194. CROWLEY.

Deer. Gen. Law and Sup. No. 2665.

Amends act of 1905, relating to hours of employment of drug clerks. Sec. 1 is in skeleton form.

Sec. 2 provides that no person employed to sell at retail drugs and medicines, or to compound physicians' prescriptions, shall perform work more than **nine** hours per day or for more than **fifty-four** hours in any one week, or for more than **six** days in any one week.

Sec. 3 provides that no person, firm or corporation shall require any such person to perform work of the aforesaid nature for any periods in excess of the periods set out in Sec. 2 above.

Sec. 4 provides penalties for violations of this act.

Sec. 5 provides that the commissioner of the State Bureau of Labor Statistics shall enforce the provisions of this act.

Sec. 6 repeals all acts in conflict. See in this connection—the matter of Twing, 63 Cal. Dec. 275.

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

S. B. 195. BREED.

Repeals Secs. 367c, 367d, 499b and 499c of the Penal Code, relating to motor vehicles.

Sec. 367c makes it the duty of drivers of vehicles to stop and render assistance to any person struck, or to the occupants of any vehicle collided with, and provides penalties.

Sec. 367d makes it a misdemeanor for any person to drive any motor vehicle while intoxicated.

Sec. 499b makes it a misdemeanor for any person to take without the permission of the owner thereof any vehicle for the purpose of temporarily using or operating the same, and provides penalties.

Sec. 499c provides penalties for the unlawful use of any automobile by any person having the care, custody or possession of the same.

The provisions of the repealed sections are embraced within the provisions of Senate Bill 115.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

S. B. 196. BREED.

Signed by Governor. Chapter 7.

S. B. 197. BREED.

Amends Sec. 456 of Pol. Code. Increases the salary of the deputy state treasurer from \$3,200 to \$4,000. Increases the annual salary of the secretary-stenographer from \$1,500 to \$1,800.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

S. B. 198. CARR.

Amends Secs. 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 204, 204c, 210, 214, 219 and 246 of the C. C. P. The word "in" in line 10 of page 1 of the printed bill is added to subdivision 3 of Sec 198. Subdivision 5 is **added** to Sec. 199, and provides that any person, in counties, and cities and counties of the first and second class, who during the preceding two years shall have actually served for ten days or more as a trial juror in a court of record of this state, or, during the preceding two years shall have been drawn, and remained on, a regular trial jury panel in any department of such court for a period of thirty consecutive calendar days, shall not be competent to act as a juror, and provides further that the days of service of such juror in the trial of cases shall be counted as part of said period of thirty calendar days. **Provides**, however, that a juror must in any event complete his service as such juror in the trial of a case in which he may be actually engaged.

Subdivision 13 of Sec. 200 is **changed** to read as follows: "A person who is not competent to act as a juror for any reason prescribed in section one hundred ninety-nine." Subdivision 13 of the present section provides that a person is exempt from liability to act as a juror if he has served as a juror within a year, or has been drawn or summoned as a juror in any court of record in this state if he has been discharged as a juror within a year prior to the time in which he claims the exemption.

All of lines 11 to 20, both inclusive on page 3 of the printed bill are **added** to Sec. 201, and provide the mode of procedure of the court in excusing a juror.

The words "disqualified or" in line 23 on page 3 of the printed bill are **added**. The words "one hundred ninety-nine and" in lines 24 and 25 on page 3 of the printed bill are **added**. All the words in line 28 and the first 4 words in line 24 on page 3 of the printed bill are **added**. The last 4 words in line 33 and all of lines 34 and 35 and 36 on page 3 of the printed bill are **added**.

The wording of Sec. 204 in this bill is identical with the wording of the present section. (See amendment of 1917 Stats. 1917, p. 1283.)

Sec. 204c is **revamped** and much new matter is **added**. In addition to the duties of the jury commissioner under the present section there is added the duty of summoning persons residing in the jury commissioner's county, or city and county, to appear before him for examination as to their qualifications to serve as jurors. **Provides**

that such jury commissioner may compel the attendance of such persons by means of **subpoena**, which the county clerk shall issue upon the request of such jury commissioner.

The last two words in line 18 and all of lines 19 and 27, both inclusive, are **added** to Sec. 210, and provide that in counties, or cities and counties, of the **first** and **second** class, persons whose names are returned as regular jurors shall serve upon a regular trial jury panel for **thirty** calendar days, and shall then be discharged, except that a person must be discharged from such panel after he shall have served for not less than ten days as a trial juror; but that in no event shall a trial juror be discharged from service until the completion of the trial of the case in which he is acting as a trial juror at the time of the expiration of said **ten** days of service.

The word "panel" in line 35 on page 5 of the printed bill is **added**. The words "which number shall not be less than fifty" in line 37 on page 5 of the printed bill are **added**. The last 2 words in line 38, all of lines 39 to 47, both inclusive, and the first eight words in line 48 on page 5 of the printed bill are **added**, and relate to the drawing of additional jurors to maintain the full quota of the jury panel. The word "trial" just before the word "juror" in line 51, and the word "panel" in line 52 on page 5 of the printed bill are **added**.

Subdivision 1 is added to Sec. 219, relating to the opening of the trial jury box by the clerk, and provides for the procedure in case jurors have been summoned and fail to appear. Subd. 2 of this section as amended contains the same provisions as are found in subdivision 1 of the present section except that the words "necessary to complete the trial jury" are substituted for the words "ordered by the court." Subd. 3 of Sec. 219 in this bill is worded exactly the same as subdivision 2 of the present section. Subd. 4 corresponds to subdivision 3 of the present section, but is revamped and the following additions are made: The words "disqualified or" in line 1 on page 7 of the printed bill are **added**. The word "stricken" in line 3 on page 7 of the printed bill is substituted for the word "omitted." The last three words of line 8, all of lines 9 and 10, and the first 5 words in line 11 of the printed bill are **added**. The words "in those counties, or cities and counties, where there is a jury commissioner," in lines 15 and 16 on page 7 of the printed bill are **added**. The words "said jury commissioner" in line 17 on page 7 of the printed bill, are **added**.

The words "provided, that it may be left to the discretion of the court to accept an affidavit of exense under section two hundred two of this code without a personal appearance in court of the juror summoned" are omitted from Sec. 246, after the word "summoned" in line 23 on page 7 of the printed bill.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 199. CARR.

Amends Sec. 925 of the Penal Code. The words "on the demand of the district attorney" are eliminated from Sec. 925 by this amendment after the word "jury" in line 11 on page 1 of the printed bill.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 200. CARR.

Amends Sec. 1394½ of Pol. Code. This section fixes the fee and rate of tuition of non-resident students of the University of California.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 201. CARR.

Amends Sec. 52 of the Pol. Code, relating to the rules for determining residence.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges. Question as to whether this bill is referred to the proper committee.

S. B. 202. CARR.

Amends Sec. 270 of the Penal Code. This section provides a penalty for failure to furnish necessities for a minor child and confers certain jurisdiction upon the juvenile court.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 203. CARR.

Deer. Gen. Law and Sup. No. 2164.

Amends the Medical Practice Act of 1913.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

S. B. 204. CARR.

Amends Sec. 4232 of the Pol. Code. Alameda County Government Act.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

S. B. 205. CHAMBERLIN.

New General Law. Authorizes and directs the state controller and state treasurer to accept from the directors of the sixth district agricultural association \$11,413.94 and inventory of the permanent

improvements made upon the state's property at Exposition Park, Los Angeles, in full satisfaction of the terms of the act of 1917 which act appropriated and created a revolving fund of \$50,000 which was to be returned in full to the state treasury "on or before the 30th day of June, 1919," (Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1991e.)

To Committee on Agriculture and Live Stock.

S. B. 206. CHAMBERLIN.

Appropriates \$394.92 to pay the claim of Hart Brothers against the State of California.

To Committee on Finance.

S. B. 207. CHAMBERLIN.

Appropriates \$3,651.06 to pay the claim of Walter P. Story against the State of California.

To Committee on Finance.

S. B. 208. LYON.

New General Law. "Uniform Conditional Sales Act."

Sec. 1 defines terms used in act. Sec. 2 sets out primary rights of buyer and the liability of seller for breach of warranty. Sec. 3 sets out primary rights of seller. Sec. 4, conditional sales terms valid as to all persons except as otherwise provided. Sec. 5, conditional sales terms void as to attaching creditor of, or purchaser from, the buyer without notice, unless the agreement has previously been recorded. Sec. 6, place of filing conditional sales contracts. Sec. 7, provisions concerning property in chattels real. Sec. 8, conditional sale of railroad equipment and rolling stock. Sec. 9, terms of conditional sales agreement, where seller consents to resale by vendee before condition performed, are void as to buyer in ordinary course of business for value, even if contract recorded. Sec. 10, filing of contract. Sec. 11, periods for which filing is effective: refiling. Sec. 12, cancellation of contract upon performance of condition. Sec. 13, prohibition of removal or sale without notice. Sec. 14, refiling of contract where removal of goods is by consent of vendor. Sec. 15, penalty for fraudulent injury, concealment, removal or sale. Sec. 16, vendor may retake goods on default of vendee. Sec. 17, notice of intention to retake goods. Sec. 18, redemption of goods by vendee in case vendor retakes possession without notice. Sec. 19, compulsory resale by vendor: publication by vendor of notice of resale. Sec. 20, resale at option of parties. Sec. 21, proceeds of resale: vendee entitled to surplus. Sec. 22, deficiency on resale: vendor may recover from vendee. Sec. 23, rights of vendor to retain property without resale. Sec. 24, election of remedies. Sec. 25, recovery of part payments by vendee. Sec. 26, vendee may not waive his statutory protection. Sec. 27, risk of loss: benefit of increase. Sec. 28, this act not retroactive in effect. Sec. 29, rules governing cases not herein provided

for. Sec. 30, interpretation shall seek uniformity of decision. Sec. 31, short title to be "Uniform conditional sales act." Sec. 32, inconsistent laws repealed. Sec. 33, time of taking effect.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 209. LYON.

Deer. Gen. L. and Sup. No. 2331b.

Amends Secs. 3, 4, 7, 8, 24, 25, 26 and 28 of the Motor Vehicle Act of 1915.

The amendment to Sec. 3 is as follows: The last nine words in line 13 and all of lines 14 to 20, both inclusive, on page 1 of the printed bill, are **added**, and **provide** that the applicant for registration of a motor vehicle shall furnish his photograph with such application. The words "one dollar additional besides" in lines 25 and 26 on page 1 of the printed bill are **added**.

The words "with copy of photograph, as mentioned in section three of this act," in lines 1 and 2, on page 3, of the printed bill are **added** to Sec. 4.

The amendment to Sec 7 is as follows: The words "one dollar" in line 8, on page 4 of the printed bill are substituted for the words "no fee". The last word in line 8, all of lines 9 to 21, both inclusive, and the first six words in line 22, on page 4 of the printed bill are **added**, and **require** that every applicant for an operator's license shall furnish, together with his application, a photograph. The word "fifty," in line 34, on page 4 of the printed bill is substituted for the word "twenty-five."

The amendment to Sec. 8 is as follows: The words "photograph and" in line 51, on page 4 of the printed bill are **added**. The last three words in line 15 and all of lines 16, 17 and 18 on page 6 of the printed bill are **added**.

The words "applicant's photographs" in line 48 on page 7 of the printed bill are **added** to Sec. 24.

The words "together with a photographic copy of licenses" in line 1 on page 9 of the printed bill are **added** to Sec. 25.

The words "or photograph" in lines 7 and 8, on page 9 of the printed bill are **added** to Sec. 26.

The words "all consents must be in writing and state whether it is for a given time or good until revoked" in lines 37 and 38, on page 9 of the printed bill are **added** to Sec. 28.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

S. B. 210. EDEN.

New General Law. Provides that the fourth Friday in October of each year shall be known and designated as "**Frances E. Willard Day.**" **Provides** that a portion of the afternoon of such day shall be set apart by the teachers in charge of every public school in this state for appropriate exercises to commemorate the life, history, and achievements of **Frances E. Willard.**

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 211. SWING.

Deer. Gen. L. and Sup. No. 3937.

Amends Secs. 21, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27 and 28 of the "Street Improvement Act" of 1911.

Sec. 21 is revamped, much unnecessary detail is eliminated, and much new matter added, relating to the procedure of assessing property for street improvement purposes, the publication of notice of such assessments, and to the correction of warrants, assessments or diagrams of work to be done. The amendment to Sec. 23 is as follows: The words "together with a certificate, if any, of the city engineer, of the quality and character of the work done," are omitted from the present section, after the word "assessment" in line 20, on page 3 of the printed bill. The word "certificate" is omitted from this section, after the word "diagram," in line 30, on page 3 of the printed bill. Sec. 24 is revamped and as changed provides that the warrant mentioned in Sec. 23 shall constitute full authority to the contractor, or his agents to collect assessments made for the purpose of street improvements. This amendment makes unnecessary the passage of any ordinance authorizing the payment of assessments through the superintendent of streets, and adds a provision that the contractor or his assigns shall after the expiration of **twenty days** from the date of recording the assessment deliver to the street superintendent, a written statement of all payments received upon the assessment. Sec. 25 is revamped. The amendment substitutes for the contractor's return required by the present section, the provision that the warrant shall be returned to the superintendent of streets on or after **twenty days** after its date, with a written statement signed by the contractor. The amendment eliminates the provision of the present section that in case any contractor shall fail to return his warrant within the specified time, that he shall lose his lien upon the property assessed. This amendment eliminates much detail from Sec. 26 of the present law, in regard to the procedure of contesting assessments. Provides that no suit or action may be brought by any property owner to enjoin the collection of assessments for street improvements or to enjoin the issuance of bonds to represent the same, unless such action or actions shall have been commenced within **thirty days after the recording of the warrant, diagram and assessment**. The amendment to Sec. 27 is as follows: Much detail has been eliminated from the first seven lines of Sec. 27. The words "with proof of," in line 36, on page 5 of the printed bill are substituted for the words "with affidavit of." The words "has been damaged in the time, form and manner prescribed in this act and that the same" have been eliminated after the word "assessment" in line 51 on page 5 of the printed bill. The amendment to Sec. 28 is as follows: The words "for any cause" in line 14 on page 6 of the printed bill are added, and certain details are eliminated. The words "in relation thereto," in line 17 on page 6 of the printed bill are substituted for the word "thereof." The third subdivision of Sec. 28 is revamped and new procedure for reassessments is provided. The provision of the present law to the effect that for each sum reassessed, interest at the rate of 7 per cent per annum shall be added from the date of the original assessment, is changed by this amendment to read that "there shall be added thereto interest thereon from twenty

days after the date of recording the original assessment, at the rate of 7 per cent per annum.”

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

S. B. 212. SHARKEY.

Adds Sec. 1731a to the Pol. Code. This section provides that whenever a majority of the members of a union or joint union high school board shall make a written request, or whenever a majority of the heads of families who have children attending the elementary schools in a union or joint union high school district shall unite in a petition to the county superintendent of schools asking that an election be called to determine whether a consolidated school district shall be formed, such county superintendent of schools having jurisdiction over such high school district **must** call such election. **Prescribes** the procedure and rules which shall govern such election. **Provides** that in case such a consolidation is effected, that all property held in the name of the high school and elementary school districts, included in such consolidated school district, shall become the property of such consolidated school district.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 213. HANDY.

Amends Sec. 628b of the Penal Code. The words “four and three-quarters” in line 18, page 1 of the printed bill are substituted for the word “four E.” The words “black bass so taken may be possessed in fish and game district four” are eliminated from the present law by this amendment, after the word “year,” in line 20, page 1 of the printed bill. The amendment makes it a misdemeanor for any person to catch more than **ten black bass**, or to have in possession more than ten black bass in any one calendar day. The words “provided, further, nothing in this section shall,” in line 1, page 2 of the printed bill are **added**. The words “during the open season for such lake or lakes,” in lines 3 and 4, page 2 of the printed bill are **added**. The words “first day of April” in lines 6 and 7, page 2 of the printed bill are **substituted** for the words “fifteenth day of May.” The words “fourteenth day of September” in line 7, page 2 of the printed bill are **substituted** for the words “fourteenth day of August.”

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 214. POWERS.

Amends Sec. 626i of the Penal Code. Changes the present law by making it a misdemeanor for any person to take, kill or destroy or have in his possession more than **one deer (now two)** in this state during any one calendar year.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 215. POWERS.

Amends Sec. 626f of the Penal Code. The words "fourteenth day of September," in line 4 of the printed bill are substituted for the words "thirty-first day of August." The words "four, and four and three-quarters" in line 11 of the printed bill are **added**. The word "sixteenth" in line 12 of the printed bill is substituted for the word "fifteenth." The words "fourteenth day of August" in line 13 of the printed bill are substituted for the words "thirty-first day of July." The last four words in line 17, and lines 18 to 24, both inclusive, and the first six words in line 25 of the present section (see page 232 Deer. Gen. Law Sup.) are **eliminated** and relate to the hunting of deer in game district four of this state.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 216. HARRIS.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 4368g.

Amends Secs. 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 16, 19, 24, 25, 28, 34, 36, 45, 46 and 52 of the California Water Storage District Act of 1921, repeals Sec. 68 thereof and adds a new section, numbered Sec. 68, thereto.

In Sec. 1 the words "may be," in line 21 on page 2 of the printed bill are substituted for the words "he may deem." Sec. 3 is amended as follows: The words "and that would be benefited" in line 31, page 2 of the printed bill are **added**. The words "proposed in such petition," in line 33, page 2 of the printed bill are **added**. The words "and so benefited," in lines 36 and 37, page 2 of the printed bill are **added**. The word "such" in line 43, page 2 of the printed bill is **added**. Sec. 4 is amended as follows: The words "which place shall be either the office of the state engineer at Sacramento, or some place within the proposed district, and" in lines 26, 27 and 28, page 3 of the printed bill are **added**. The word "thirty," in line 28, page 3 of the printed bill is **substituted** for the word "twenty" and the word "sixty" in the next line is **substituted** for the word "thirty." The word "three" in line 34, page 3 of the printed bill is **substituted** for the word "four." The words "and to all persons having or claiming any right, title, or interest in and to the waters proposed to be stored, acquired, or used as set out in said petition" are **eliminated** from Sec. 4 by this amendment after the word "petition," in line 39, page 3 of the printed bill. The words which are set out in quotation marks just above are also eliminated from Sec. 4 by this amendment after the word "therein," in line 46, page 3 of the printed bill. Lines 4 to 12, inclusive, page 4 of the printed bill contain substantially the same provisions as are included in the corresponding lines in Sec. 4 of the present law, with the **added provision** permitting the owner or owners of any lands which are included in the proposed district, and which are not susceptible of irrigation from the same common source or which will not benefit by such proposed project, to **protest** the inclusion of such lands in such proposed district. Sec. 5 is amended as follows: The word "thirty," in line 40, page 4 of the printed bill is **substituted** for the words "two weeks." The last two words in line 7, all of lines 8 and 9, and the first two words in line 10, page 5

of the printed bill are **added**. The words "lands not included in the proposed district that are" in lines 12 and 13, page 5 of the printed bill are **added**. The words "that will be benefited by the proposed project," in lines 14 and 15, page 5 of the printed bill are **substituted** for the words "by the same system of storage and irrigation works in said petition more particularly referred to and described." Sec. 6 is amended as follows: The words "and in so doing shall make such changes in any of the matter or proposal set forth in said petition as he may deem advisable" are **eliminated** from Sec. 6 by this amendment after the word "project," in line 4, page 6 of the printed bill. Sec. 9 is amended as follows: The section is revamped and a number of new provisions are **added** relating to who shall be considered as holders of title within the meaning of this section and who, as holders of title, **are entitled to vote in person or by proxy**. Sec. 16 is amended as follows: The sentence beginning with the word "thereafter," in line 17, page 7, and ending with the word "expenses," in line 24, page 7 of the printed bill, is **added** by this amendment just preceding the sentence beginning with the word "provided," in line 25, page 7 and ending with the word "acre," in line 27, page 7 of the printed bill. As the present section reads the former sentence immediately follows the latter. Sec. 19 is amended as follows: The sentence beginning with the word "said," in line 16 and ending with the word "county," in line 20, page 9 of the printed bill are **added**. The words "in the records of said board of directors," in line 32, page 9 of the printed bill are **added**. The last two words in line 49, and all of lines 50, 51 and 52, page 9, and all of lines 1 and 2, and the first four words in line 3, page 10, of the printed bill are **added**. Sec. 24 is amended as follows: The word "storage," in line 12, page 14 of the printed bill is substituted for the word "conservation." The word "with," in line 20, page 14, of the printed bill **should be changed** to the word "within." The word "or," in line 30, page 16 of the printed bill is **substituted** for the word "of." The word "the," just preceding the word "district," in line 25, page 17 of the printed bill is **substituted** for the word "said." The words "notice of which sale shall be given by publication once a week for two successive weeks in some newspaper published in the county in which said land is situated." In lines 49 to 52 inclusive, page 18 of the printed bill are substituted for the words "upon once a week for two weeks published notice in said county." Sec. 25 is amended as follows: The words "As may not be necessary for the uses and purposes of said district," in lines 27 and 28, page 19 of the printed bill, are **added**. Sec. 28 is amended as follows: "Such sums as may be necessary for said purposes," in lines 33 and 34, page 20 of the printed bill are **substituted** for the words "sums aggregating not more than \$25,000." Sec. 34 is amended as follows: The last five words in line 2 and all of lines 3 to 6, both inclusive, page 21 of the printed bill are **added**. The amendment to Sec. 36 is almost identical with the amendment hereinbefore indicated to Sec. 9. Sec. 45 is amended as follows: The word "storage," in line 51, page 21 of the printed bill is **substituted** for the word "conservation." Sec. 46 is amended as follows: The words "voters holding title or evidence of title to lands within the district," in lines 20 and 21, page 22 of the printed

bill, are **substituted** for the words "qualified voters residing within the boundaries of any such district." Sec. 52 is amended as follows: The word "storage," occurring in both lines 35 and 36, page 22, of the printed bill, are in each instance **substituted** for the word "conservation." The words "the time of the giving or making of said notices, publication or advertising, unless otherwise specifically provided in this act, once a week for two successive weeks," in lines 39, 40 and 41, page 22 of the printed bill are **added**. Sec. 68 of this act is **repealed**. Said section reads as follows: "This act shall take effect from and after its passage and approval." A new Sec. 68 is added, in words as follows: "Nothing in this act contained shall be so construed as to affect or impair the vested right of any person, association, or corporation to the use of water."

To Committee on Irrigation.

S. B. 217. HARRIS.

Amends Sec. 526 of the C. C. P. Lines 17 to 22, both inclusive, on page 2 of the printed bill are **added** to this section, and provide that an injunction can not be granted to prevent a breach of contract entered into between any corporation or association marketing agricultural products cooperatively and on a non-profit basis and a member or stockholder thereof in respect to any provision regarding the sale or delivery to the corporation or association of the agricultural products produced or acquired by such member or stock holder.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 218. HARRIS.

Amends Sec. 3423 of the Civil Code. The last eight words of line 23 and all of lines 24 to 28, inclusive, on page 1 of the printed bill are added by this amendment. This, as S. B. 217 just above, relates to injunction against cooperative associations.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 219. HARRIS.

Adds Secs. 653sd and 3396 to the Civil Code. Sec. 653sd provides that the by-laws of any **non-profit association** or the marketing contract entered into with any of its members may fix as **liquidated damages** specific sums to be paid by such member to the association on the breach by him of any provisions of the marketing contract, regarding sale or delivery of products. **Provides** that such association shall be entitled to an injunction to prevent the further breach of the marketing contract to secure **specific performance** thereof.

Sec. 3396 **provides** that a contract entered into by a member or stockholder of a non-profit association or corporation marketing agricultural products cooperatively, may be **specifically enforced** by the association or incorporation to secure the delivery to it of such products.

To Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 220. HURLEY.

New General Law. Prohibits "bucketing," bucket-shopping" and "bucket shops." Defines such terms and declares certain violations to be a felony. A. B. 377 is a companion bill.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 221. CANEPA.

Appropriates \$100,000 for the building and furnishing of an observatory in the city and county of San Francisco.

To Committee on Finance.

S. B. 222. JONES.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 2144i.

Amends Secs. 1, 2, 3, 5 and 7 of the Veterans' Rehabilitation Act of 1921. The order of Sec. 1 and Sec. 2 of the present law is reversed. Sec. 1 of this bill, which is numbered Sec. 2 of the present law, is **revamped**, but the provisions of the present section are not materially changed. Sec. 2, which is numbered Sec. 1 of the present law, is amended as follows: The words "or said act as it may be amended or any act which may provide for the vocational rehabilitation of disabled persons" in lines 24, 25 and 26, page 2 of the printed bill, are **added**. The last word in line 28 and all of lines 28 to 33, both inclusive, page 2 of the printed bill are **added**. Sec. 3 is **revamped** and the powers of the state board of education, which are set forth by a blanket provision in the present law, are specifically enumerated. Sec. 5 is amended as follows: The words "as required by the federal act" are **omitted** after the word "treasurer" in line 3, page 3 of the printed bill. The words "any federal law or act providing for the vocational rehabilitation of disabled persons" in lines 6 and 7, page 3 of the printed bill are substituted for the words "that act." The words "the federal act, and the rules and regulations of said state board established as required by the said act" are omitted after the word "act" in line 19, page 3 of the printed bill. Sec. 7 is amended as follows: The amount of the appropriation provided by the present law is altered. Seventy thousand dollars is appropriated by this section as amended for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1924, and for each and every succeeding fiscal year thereafter there is appropriated \$100,000.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 223. NELSON.

Amends Sec. 1761 of the C. C. P., relating to the sales of property of persons under guardianship. The words "filing of the return of sales of any property of the ward's estate" in lines 13 and 14, page 1 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "filing of petitions for sales, leases or mortgages of any property of the ward's estate" in the present section.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 224. NELSON.

Amends Sec. 1275 of the Civil Code. This section states what persons, etc. may receive property under a will. The words "or largely for the public preservation of forests and natural scenery" in lines 7 and 8 of the printed bill, are added by this amendment."

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 225. BOGGS.

Makes a continuing appropriation of \$2,000,000 for the construction and reconstruction of all state highways in San Joaquin County which are at the time this act takes effect under the control of the state highway commission. **Provides** that the controller of the state of California shall draw during each fiscal year from the 75th to the 82nd, both inclusive, his warrant in favor of the state highway commission for the sum of \$250,000. **Provides** for the raising of additional state revenues to meet this expenditure.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

S. B. 226. ARBUCKLE.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1010.

Amends Sec. 24 of the Direct Primary Act of 1913. The subdivision numbers of the section are rearranged. The first change occurs in the addition of subdivision numbered 4, providing that the state convention in each year prior to the November election shall **nominate** as the candidates of their party, a governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state, controller, treasurer, attorney general and surveyor general, and makes it the duty of the secretary of state to issue certificates of nomination to the person so nominated and to cause their names to be placed on the ballot at the ensuing **August primary election**. Subdivisions No. 9, 10, 11 and 12 are added. Subdivision 9, requiring every person seeking nomination to submit his candidacy to the **party convention**, as provided in subdivision 4, but allows any person losing his party nomination to file a petition under the direct primary act. (?) Subdivision 10 declares this act to be a **proviso** to the direct primary act, and a special statute on the subject treated, and to that extent a **repeal** of all acts inconsistent. Subdivisions 11 and 12 provide for the holding of **congressional conventions** to select candidates for representation in congress. The provision relative to securing a place on the ballot by a person failing to receive his party nomination in the **convention**, as mentioned above, as provided in the case of congressional candidates.

Subdivision 6 of the present section is eliminated. Said section reads as follows: "Each state central committee may select an executive committee, to which executive committee it may grant all or any portion of its powers and duties. It shall choose its officers by ballot and each committee and its officers shall have the power usually exercised by such committees and the officers thereof in so far as may be consistent with this act. The various officers and committees now in existence shall exercise the powers and perform the

duties herein prescribed until their successors are chosen in accordance with the provisions of this act."

To Committee on Elections.

S. B. 227. BOGGS.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 3035.

Amends Secs. 6, 9, 12, 13, 14, 17, 21 and 24, and repeals Secs. 7, 16 $\frac{1}{2}$, 18 and 33 of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District Act of 1911.

Sec. 6 is amended as follows: The words "and may appoint a general manager and a chief engineer" are eliminated after the word "Board" in line 15, page 1 of the printed bill. **Abolishes** all officers of the reclamation board, except a secretary, and an assistant secretary, and provides that any engineering services necessary for the functioning of the district shall be performed by the department of engineering and that any legal services required by the board for the district shall be performed by the attorney general.

The word "any" in line 48, page 2 of the printed bill is substituted for the word "its" in Sec. 9, otherwise the wording is identical. (Compare Statutes of 1915 at page 1338.)

Sec. 12 is amended as follows: The words "including drainage purposes" in line 16, page 3 of the printed bill are **added**. All the matter beginning with the word "provided" in line 25 and ending with the word "that," in line 35, page 3 of the printed bill is added. The words "or by the State of California" are **added** in line 41 and again in line 43 on page 3 of the printed bill. The words "or provided for the use of" in line 45, page 3 of the printed bill are **added**. The words "or the State of California" are **added** in line 46 and again in line 51, page 3 of the printed bill. The words "or to the State of California" are **added** in line 49, page 3 of the printed bill and again in lines 7 and 8, page 4. All of lines 9 to 33, both inclusive, page 4 of the printed bill are **added** and provide that whenever any work to be done by the reclamation board or by the Sacramento-San Joaquin Drainage District under any of the provisions of this act is such that it can be so done in connection with work of public improvement of rivers and harbors authorized by the United States government as to bring it within the provisions of Sec. 4 of the United States River and Harbor Act, approved March 4, 1915, then the funds under the control of the reclamation board and available for such work may be contributed by the reclamation board to the United States government for the said purposes. The last 9 words in line 11 and all of lines 12 to 18, inclusive, page 5 of the printed bill, are **added** and authorize the reclamation board to dispose of any property or equipment in the possession of the Sacramento-San Joaquin Drainage District, when, in the opinion of said board, such property is no longer needed for the purposes of flood control works or other necessary or convenient purposes.

Sec. 13 is amended as follows: The word "sixty" in line 28, page 8 of the printed bill is **substituted** for the word "thirty." The word "four" in line 33, page 8, of the printed bill is **substituted** for the word "two." The words "of general circulation" line 34, page 8 of

the printed bill are **added**. The words "at least forty days" in lines 34 and 35, page 8 of the printed bill are **substituted** for the words "at any time." The words "or during" in line 36, page 8 of the printed bill are **substituted** for the words "the date of." The words "or with any member thereof" in lines 38 and 39, page 8 of the printed bill, are **added**. The words "which said statement shall be verified by the affidavit of such person or some other person who is familiar with the facts" are **eliminated** after the word "objection" in line 40, page 8 of the printed bill. The words "notice by publication, as above provided, for two weeks in a newspaper of general circulation in each county wherein any of the lands so assessed are situated" in line 52, page 8 and lines 1 and 2, page 9, of the printed bill are **substituted** for the words "two weeks notice as before and proceed to hear objections in each county affected as above." The word "sixty" in line 14, page 9 of the printed bill is **substituted** for the word "thirty." The words "no objections to said assessment shall be considered by the court unless such objection shall have been in writing to the reclamation board as hereinbefore prescribed and, except in the action above mentioned, no action or defense shall ever be maintained attacking the said assessment in any respect" are **eliminated** after the word "trial" in line 18, page 9 of the printed bill.

In Sec 14 the word "ten" in line 25 on page 10 of the printed bill is **substituted** for the word "twenty."

Sec. 17 is amended as follows: The greater part of this section is omitted, only the last 13 lines of this section of the present law, relating to duties of the reclamation board to construct levees in cases of emergency, being retained. The portion of the section which is **eliminated** relates to the duty of the board to permit levee building; the provisions as to publication of notice of proposed levee projects; the application for leave to construct levees by land owners interested, and conditions upon which the reclamation board is empowered to proceed with the construction of reclamation projects.

Sec. 21 is amended as follows: The words "by the" just before the word "reclamation" in line 38, page 13, of the printed bill are **substituted** for the words "upon the initiative." The words "shall be under the supervision of the department of engineering," in lines 39 and 40, page 13, of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "may, at the option of said board, be undertaken and done by said board under the sole charge and direct control of said board, its officers, agents and employees, free from any jurisdiction or control of the State Department of Engineering over the same."

Sec. 24 is worded identically with the present section. Apparently the author intended to amend this section by eliminating all officers of the reclamation board enumerated in this section of the present law to coincide with the officers enumerated in Sec. 6, as amended in this bill.

Sees. 7, 16½, 18 and 33 of this act are repealed.

For latest amendments to Sees. 6, 9, 17 and 24 see Statutes of 1915, page 1338; section 13 last amended in Statutes of 1919, page 1122; Sees. 12, 14, and 21 last amended in Statutes of 1921, at page 1480.

To Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

S. B. 228. JONES.

Amends Secs. 1401 and 1402 of the Civil Code. Sec. 1401, as amended, provides that upon the death of either the husband or wife, **one-half** of the community property belongs to the surviving spouse; that the other half is subject to the testamentary disposition of the decedent, and in the absence thereof goes to the surviving spouse.

Certain of the provisions of the present Sec. 1402 are combined in the provisions of Sec. 1401 as amended in this bill, and Sec. 1402 as here amended contains mostly new matter providing that the husband, pending administration of his deceased wife's estate, shall retain the same power to sell, manage and deal with the community **personal** property as he had in her life time; that his possession and control of the community property need not be transferred to the personal representative of the wife except to the extent necessary to carry her will into effect. **Provides** that after forty days from the death of the wife the husband shall have **full power** to sell, lease, mortgage, or otherwise deal with or dispose of the community **real** property, unless a **notice is recorded** in the county in which the property is situated to the effect that an interest in such property is claimed by another under the wife's will.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 229. NELSON.

Deer. Gen. L. and Sup. No. 4340.

Amends Sec. 11 of Water Commission Act of 1913. The words "of ten consecutive years" are **eliminated** from this section by this amendment after the word "period" in line 43, page 3, of the printed bill. The words "and to the first day of August, 1928" in line 44, page 3, of the printed bill are **added**.

The author may have intended to strike the words "of ten consecutive years" from this section after the word "period" in line 6, page 4, of the printed bill as was done in line 43, page 3, of the printed bill; if so, they were overlooked.

To Committee on Irrigation.

S. B. 230. NELSON.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1537.

Amends Sec. 1 of the Women's Eight Hour Law of 1911. The words "or industry" in line 5, page 2, of the printed bill are **added**, as are also the words "state institutions" in line 7, page 2, and the words "or industry" in line 16, page 2.

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

S. B. 231. NELSON.

Appropriates \$12,405.45 to pay the claim of C. E. Bradbury against the State of California.

To Committee on Finance.

S. B. 232. NELSON.

Appropriates the sum of \$1,275 for the purchase of additional land for the Humboldt State Teachers College.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 233. NELSON.

Appropriates \$25,980 for improvements at the Humboldt State Teachers College.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 234. NELSON.

Appropriates \$38,636 for completion and equipment of buildings at Humboldt State Teachers College.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 235. NELSON.

Amends Sec. 3751 of the Pol. Code, relating to the duties of the tax collector. The words "and shall state thereon that said tax is paid solely and exclusively for county purposes only, unless a state tax is levied against such property, in which event said receipt shall also have printed or stamped thereon in red ink the tax rate for state purposes and the amount of tax due as a state tax" in lines 8 to 12, inclusive, of the printed bill, are **added**.

To Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

S. B. 236. BOGGS.

Amends Sec. 636 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish. The word "catfish" in line 14 on page 3 of the printed bill is added. (The word "beau" in line 21 on page 3 of the printed bill should be "beam.")

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 237. SHARKEY.

New General Law. Grants to the City of San Rafael all the salt marsh, tide and submerged lands owned by the State of California, lying within the present boundaries of the said city. **Grants** to the city the right to construct, maintain and operate wharves, docks, etc., on such lands for the promotion of commerce and navigation. **Reserves** to the state the right to use any such wharves, docks, etc., free of charge. **Reserves** to the people of the State of California the right to fish in the waters on which said lands may front and forbids the city of San Rafael to interfere with or obstruct the navigation of such waters.

To Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

S. B. 238. SHARKEY.

Appropriates \$150,000 for the construction of a state highway between Mill Valley and Bolinas, in Marin County. **Provides** that one-half of said sum shall be available in each fiscal year of the succeeding biennial period.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

S. B. 239. LEWIS.

New General Law. **Provides** for the assessment, levy and collection of a tax upon the income of persons, firms, co-partnerships, corporations, joint stock companies, and associations. **Provides** that the State Board of Equalization shall administer this act. Sec. 6 of this bill is skeleton in form and provides the method of computation upon which said tax shall be levied and collected.

To Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

S. B. 240. EDEN.

New General Law. **Grants** to the county of Orange certain tide lands and submerged lands bordering upon and under Newport Bay. **Provides** that such land shall be used for the establishment, improvement and development of a harbor. **Provides** that said harbor shall be improved by the county without expense to the state, and that it shall perpetually remain a public harbor. **Reserves** to the people of the State of California the right to fish in the waters of such harbor.

To Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

S. B. 241. EDEN.

New General Law. This bill defines and establishes the exterior boundaries of the city of Newport Beach, a city of the sixth class in Orange County. See Const. Art. XI, Sec. 6, relating to general laws governing cities.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

S. B. 242. EDEN.

New General Law. **Grants** certain tide lands and submerged lands now owned by the state to the city of Newport Beach. **Provides** that the lands shall be used by said city for the establishment, improvement and development of a harbor. **Provides** that said harbor shall be improved by the city of Newport Beach without expenses to the state, and that it shall perpetually remain a public harbor. **Reserves** to the people of the State of California the right to fish in said harbor.

To Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

S. B. 243. EDEN.

New General Law. Creates the Orange County Flood Control District. Sec. 1 of this bill contains a description of the boundaries of the Orange County Flood Control District herein created. This bill is modeled upon the Los Angeles flood control district act of 1915. (Deer Gen. Law No. 2015.)

To Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

S. B. 244. M. B. JOHNSON.

New General Law. Provides that all motor vehicles owned by the State of California, or by any department, board or commission thereof, shall be marked with the name of the department or the official title of the officer by whom said vehicle is used. Sets out certain specifications for the marking of such vehicles. **Provides** penalties for the failure to so mark such vehicles.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

S. B. 245. WEST.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1537.

Amends the Women's Eight Hour Law of 1911.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

S. B. 246. WEST.

Deer. Gen. L. and Sup. No. 1608.

Amends the Industrial Welfare Commission Act of 1913.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

S. B. 247. WEST.

Adds Sec. 1319 to the C. C. P. Provides that whenever a will is contested on the ground of alleged forgery, and the will contested contains a clause forfeiting the bequest or legacy of any beneficiary thereunder who contests said will, such forfeiture clause shall be deemed, as to such contestant, to be void and of no effect.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 248. CROWLEY.

Deer. Gen. L. and Sup. No. 2724.

Amends Secs. 7, and 8g of the Poison Act of 1907, and adds Secs. 5a and 8h thereto. Sec. 5a enumerates the poisons included under schedule "A" referred to in Sec. 1 of this bill, and enumerates a second list of poisons classified under schedule "B," likewise referred to in Sec. 1 of this bill. Schedule "A" and schedule "B" are included in Sec. 7 of the present law. Sec. 7 is revamped and new

provisions are **added**, making it a felony for any person to sell, furnish or give away any morphine, cocaine, heroin, or opium, and **increasing the minimum penalty** for the second and each subsequent offense to five years. Under the present law the first offense is a misdemeanor. The words "and for each subsequent offense upon conviction be imprisoned in the state prison for not less than five years" in lines 41 and 42, page 2, of the printed bill are **added**. The two lists of poisons enumerated in schedules "A" and "B" of the present law are removed from Sec. 7 by this amendment and incorporated in a new section numbered 5a.

Sec. 8 is amended as follows: The words "in whole or part" in line 19, page 3, of the printed bill are **substituted** for the words "by or with the consent or knowledge of the owner thereof, to unlawfully." The words "of the party charged with the violation of said act" in line 24, page 3 of the printed bill are **substituted** for the words "of the owner of said automobile or his authorized agent, for the violation of Sec. 7 of this act." The words "in all prosecutions for the violation of Sec. 7 of this act where any of the narcotic drugs or their derivatives mentioned in Sec. 8 of this act are found in an automobile or other vehicle, said automobile or other vehicle may be seized by any duly authorized peace officer and held as part of the evidence for a violation of this act" are eliminated from Sec. 8g after the word "act" in line 30, page 3, of the printed bill.

Sec. 8h is added and **provides** that no person, firm or corporation shall sell, furnish or give away any barbitone, diethylbarbituric acid, or veronal, except upon the written order or prescription of a physician, duly licensed to practice in this state. (Note that Sec. 8e is **not** amended by this bill, although the title purports to amend said section.)

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

S. B. 249. HURLEY.

New General Law. Provides that it shall be a misdemeanor for any person, firm, co-partnership, corporation or individual doing or causing to be done any public work for the State of California, or any political subdivision thereof, to employ any person who is not a citizen of the State of California and of the United States, unless it can be shown that no citizen or citizens were available for such employment. Provides penalty for violation.

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

S. B. 250. HURLEY.

Amends Sec. 10 of the Pol. Code, declaring what days are holidays. The words "the first Monday in September" in line 2, page 2, of the printed bill are added.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 251. W. F. GATES.

Amends Sec. 628a of the Penal Code. The words "or has in his possession" are eliminated from this section in three places, to wit: After the word "sale," line 4, after the word "sale" in line 6, and after the word "killed" in line 9, all on page 1 of the printed bill. The words "or shad" are **eliminated** after the word "bass" in line 9, page 1 of the printed bill. The words "for a period of six years from and after the taking effect of this act, or he" in lines 9 and 10, page 1, of the printed bill are **added**. The words "of any year" are **eliminated** after the word "inclusive" in line 12, page 1, of the printed bill. The last word in line 13, all of lines 14, 15 and 16, and the first 4 words in line 17, page 1, of the printed bill are **added**. The prohibition contained in the present section against the taking of bass or shad in a net is eliminated by this amendment. The words "for a period of six years from and after the taking effect of this act" in lines 26 and 27, page 1, of the printed bill are **added**. The words "shad or" are **eliminated** before the word "striped" in line 2, page 2, of the printed bill. The words "at any time between sunrise of each Saturday and sunset of the following Sunday" are **eliminated** after the word "state" in line 3, page 2, of the printed bill. The words "must be caught only with hook and line and" are **eliminated** before the word "must" in line 10, page 2, of the printed bill.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 252. W. F. GATES.

New General Law. Provides that every person who in this state hunts, pursues or kills any deer without first procuring a license tag therefor, as in this act provided, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor. Sets out provisions governing the making and assigning of such license tags. **Provides** for the tagging of the carcass of any deer killed. **Provides** penalty for violation of the provisions hereof. All moneys collected under the provisions of the act are to be paid into the fish and game preservation fund.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 253. W. F. GATES.

Adds Sec. 628a to the Penal Code. Provides that no person shall at any time buy or sell any striped bass of less than three pounds in weight. **Provides** that for a period of six years from and after the date this act takes effect no person shall have in his possession in this state any striped bass taken, caught or killed in any other manner except with a hook and line. Makes it a misdemeanor for any person between September 17 and November 14th, inclusive, or between June 1st and July 31st inclusive of any year, to buy, sell or ship any striped bass. **There is now a Sec. 628a of the Penal Code.**

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 254. W. F. GATES.

Adds Sec. 628a to the Penal Code. Makes it a misdemeanor for any person to have in his possession between the 17th day of September and the 14th day of November, inclusive, of any year, or between the 1st day of June and the 31st day of July, inclusive, of any year, any shad caught otherwise than with a hook and line, or to have in his possession at any time more than five shad. Forbids the catching of shad in certain nets. (See S. B. 253.)

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 255. SLATER.

Appropriates \$105,000 for the erection of a new hospital building at the Sonoma State Home.

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

S. B. 256. SLATER.

Appropriates \$20,000 for the purchase of equipment for the new hospital building at the Sonoma State Home.

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

S. B. 257. SLATER.

Appropriates \$75,000 for the erection of two cottages for inmates at the Sonoma State Home.

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

S. B. 258. SLATER.

Appropriates \$5,000 for the purchase of equipment for the two new cottages for inmates at the Sonoma State Home.

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

S. B. 259. SLATER.

Appropriates \$3,000 for the completion of the sewerage and disposal plant at the Sonoma State Home.

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

S. B. 260. SLATER.

Appropriates \$15,000 for the purchase of "a new boiler, 250 horsepower feed and oil pump" for the Sonoma State Home. (Evidently a typographical error.)

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

S. B. 261. SLATER.

Appropriates \$5,000 to be used for the reflooring at the Sonoma State Home.

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

S. B. 262. MURPHY. (By request.)

Adds Sec. 2178 to the Civil Code. **Provides** that no carrier of property carried in trunks, valises, traveling bags, boxes, bundles, or packages, shall be liable in the event of loss of or injury to such property, for more than \$100 for each trunk and contents, nor more than \$50 for each valise and contents, nor more than \$10 for each box, bundle or package and contents, unless such carrier shall consent to assume a greater liability.

To Committee on Public Utilities.

S. B. 263. DENNETT.

Amends Sec. 300 of the C. C. P. As amended this section **forbids** any attorney or counsellor to appear on his own behalf as plaintiff in any action where the subject of said action has been assigned to him subsequent to the entry of a judgment of disbarment or suspension, and while such judgment of disbarment or suspension is still in force. Under the provisions of the present section no disbarred or suspended attorney may appear on his **own behalf as plaintiff** in any action where the subject of said action has been assigned to him, but the beneficial interest therein remains in another.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 264. DENNETT.

Amends Secs. 378 and 430 of the C. C. P and adds 4 new sections to the said code numbered respectively 379a, 379b, 379c and 391, relating to the joinder of parties in civil actions.

This amendment **adds** to Sec. 378 the provision that all persons may be joined in one action as plaintiff where if such person brought separate actions any common action of law or fact would arise. **Provides**, however, that if it shall appear to the court that such joinder may embarrass or delay the trial of the action the court may in its discretion order separate trials or make such other order as may be expedient. The fourth ground for demurrer enumerated in Sec. 430 of the present law, and providing "that there is a defect or misjoinder of parties plaintiff or defendant." is **eliminated**.

Sec. 389a **provides** that all persons may be joined as defendants against whom the plaintiff claims a right to any relief, whether jointly, severally or in the alternative. **Provides** that judgment may be given against such one or more of the defendants as may be found to be liable according to their respective liabilities.

Sec. 379b **provides** that it shall not be necessary that each defendant shall be interested as to all the relief prayed for or as to every

cause of action included in any proceeding against him. **Provides**, however, that the court may in its discretion make any order necessary to prevent any such defendant from being harrassed by unnecessary litigation in which he may have no interest.

Sec. 379c **provides** that the plaintiff may join two or more defendants when he is in doubt as to the person from whom he is entitled to redress, so that the question as to which of the defendants is liable and to what extent may be determined between the parties.

Sec. 391 **provides** that nonjoinder or misjoinder of parties shall not defeat any action or special proceeding. **Provides** that new parties may be added or substituted and that parties misjoined may be dropped by order of the court, as the ends of justice may require at any stage of the cause.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 265. DENNETT.

Amends Sec. 427 of the C. C. P., relating to joinder of causes of action. This amendment eliminates from this section the enumerated causes of action which may be united, and provides that joinder shall depend upon two conditions, to wit: That the causes of actions so joined do not require different places of trial, and that the causes of action so united must affect all parties to the action. **Provides**, however, that claims by or against an executor or administrator must not, without leave of court, be joined with claims by or against him personally. **Authorizes** the court to sever such united causes of action whenever, in its sound discretion, it shall deem it advisable to do so.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 266. DENNETT.

Amends Sec. 438 of the C. C. P., relating to counter claims. Few of the provisions of the present section are retained in this amendment. This section as amended requires, as a condition to the setting up of a counter claim by the defendant that the counter claim so set up must tend to diminish or defeat the plaintiff's recovery and must extend in favor of the defendant and against a plaintiff between whom a separate judgment might be had in the action. **Provides** that the right to maintain a counter claim shall **not be affected** by the fact that either the plaintiff's or the defendant's claim is secured by mortgage or otherwise, nor by the fact that the action is brought on the counter claim maintained for the foreclosure of such security. **Provides**, further, that the court may in its discretion, order the counter claim to be tried **separately** from the claim of the plaintiff.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 267. DENNETT.

Adds Sec. 287a to the C. C. P. Provides that whenever any organized bar association with at least fifty members is investigating the conduct of an attorney with respect to any of the causes mentioned

in Sec. 287 of the C. C. P., for the purpose of determining whether said bar association should file an accusation against such attorney for disbarment for any of said causes, the president of said association, or the attorney who is being investigated may file a verified petition in the Superior Court of any county in which it is desired to take the deposition of any witness stating briefly the necessity of such deposition, and that the provisions of part IV of said code shall govern the proceedings incident to the taking of such deposition on the issuance of a subpoena for such purpose. This would allow such deposition to be taken without an action having been filed.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 268. DENNETT.

Amends Sec. 276 of the C. C. P. and adds Sec. 279a thereto, relating to qualifications for admission to practice law. The amendment to Sec. 276 adds the provision that after January 1, 1926, no person may be admitted to practice law in this state unless he shall present satisfactory proof to the board of bar examiners that he has graduated from a law school complying with the following standards:

(a) It shall require as a condition of admission to such law school at least two years of study in a college.

(b) Such college shall require its students to pursue a course of three years duration if they devote substantially all of their working time to their studies and a longer course, equivalent in the number of working hours, if they devote one part of their working time to other studies.

(c) Such college shall provide an adequate law library.

(d) Such college shall employ adequate teaching staff to be determined by the board of bar examiners.

Sec. 279a provides that attorneys from other states or countries may be admitted to practice law in this state without examination, **only when the qualifications for admission to practice law in such state or country are substantially equivalent to those prescribed by the law of this state.** But does not state who shall pass upon such qualifications.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 269. DENNETT.

Amends Secs. 275 and 279 of the C. C. P. and adds Sec. 301 thereto, relating to admission to the practice of law. This amendment eliminates from Sec. 275 of the present law the provision in regard to the forfeiture of certificates for license to practice law which has been issued to aliens, and who have not secured their final papers of citizenship, and substitutes for this provision the words "or any resident of this state who has, bona fide, declared his intention to become

a citizen in the manner required by law" in lines 3, 4 and 5 of the printed bill, page 1. The words "or any resident of this state who has, bona fide, declared his intention to become a citizen in the manner required by law" in lines 12, 13 and 14 on page 1 of the printed bill is **substituted** for the words "residing in this state." The words "within the period of seven years immediately preceding the filing of his application" in lines 19, 20, and 21 on page 1 of the printed bill are **added**. The words "two hundred seventy-six" in line 14 on page 2 of the printed bill is **substituted** for the words "two hundred seventy-six a." Sec. 301, which is **added** by this bill, provides that the district court of appeal may upon the motion of the attorney general, revoke the license to practice law of any alien who fails to become naturalized within a reasonable time after he is eligible.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 270. DENNETT.

Amends Sec. 1048 of the C. C. P. This section as amended provides that any action may be severed and any actions may be consolidated, in the discretion of the court, whenever it can be done without prejudice to a subsequent right. Under the provisions of Sec. 1048, as it now stands, the court may, in its discretion, order the consolidation of two or more actions pending at one time between the same parties and in the same court, but nothing is said as to severance of actions.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 271. DENNETT.

Amends Secs. 170 and 398 of the C. C. P., relating to the disqualification of judges. In subdivision (3) of Sec. 170, the word "any," in line 21 on page 1 of the printed bill is **substituted** for the word "either." The same change occurs as to the word "any," just preceding the word "party," in line 22, page 1 of the printed bill. The words "or when he has been retained or employed as attorney or counsel for any party within two years prior to the commencement of an action or proceeding," in lines 23, 24 and 25, page 1 of the printed bill are **added**. Subdivision (4) of this section is revamped and much new material is **added**. Among the more important added provisions is the provision that no judge of a Superior Court, who shall deny his disqualification, shall hear or pass upon the question of his own disqualification, and the provision that the **governor** may, in certain cases, determine the question of disqualification, and request some superior judge, not disqualified, to hear and determine the question.

The words "if an action or proceeding is commenced or pending in a court and the judge or justice thereof is disqualified from acting as such, or "are **eliminated** from Sec. 398 by this amendment, immediately preceding the word "if" in line 8 on page 4 of the printed bill.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 272. HARRIS.

New General Law. Provides for the organization, operation, maintenance and government of water conservation districts; provides for the irrigation, drainage and reclamation of lands contained in such districts; provides for the generation, disposition and sale of hydro-electric energy developed incidental to such storage and distribution; creates a state board to be known as the "state irrigation board," and defines its powers and duties, and the method and procedure of exercising such powers and duties.

To Committee on Irrigation.

S. B. 273. POWERS.

New General Law. The title states that the bill provides for the better care of live stock in transit upon railroads in this state. Limits the number of cars in any one train that may be used for the purpose of transporting such live stock.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Public Utilities.

S. B. 274. POWERS.

Amends Sec. 4264 of the Pol. Code. Shasta County Government Act.

To Committee on County Government.

S. B. 275. CREIGHTON.

New General Law. Declares the county road now existing and maintained between Bakersfield and Mojave to be a state highway. Appropriates \$20,000 for the paving of said road.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

S. B. 276. HANDY.

Appropriates \$45,000 for remodeling of certain wards in the Mendocino State Hospital.

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

S. B. 277. HANDY.

Appropriates \$5,500 for the replastering and remodeling of the assembly hall at the Mendocino State Hospital.

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

S. B. 278. HANDY.

Appropriates \$2,500 for the reconstruction of the administration building at the Mendocino State Hospital.

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

S. B. 279. HANDY.

Appropriates \$7,500 for the purpose of increasing the capacity of the ice plant at the Mendocino State Hospital.

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

S. B. 280. HANDY.

Appropriates \$2,200 for the purpose of moving and reconstructing carpenter shop at the Mendocino State Hospital.

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

S. B. 281. HANDY.

Appropriates \$3,500 for the erection of a brick building to be used as a paint shop at the Mendocino State Hospital.

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

S. B. 282. HANDY.

Appropriates \$15,000 for the purpose of installing a two hundred and fifty horsepower boiler for the Mendocino State Hospital.

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

S. B. 283. ALLEN.

Amends Sec. 789 of the Civil Code, relating to the termination of tenancy. The words "or by the tenant giving notice to the landlord in a similar manner that he intends to remove from the premises within a period of not less than thirty days, to be specified in the notice," in lines 8 to 11, both inclusive, on page 1 of the printed bill are **added** to the present section.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 284. CARR.

Amends Sec. 925 of the Penal Code, relating to appearances before the grand jury. The words "may deem" in line 11 on page 1 of the printed bill are **substituted** for the word "think." The word "cases," in line 12, page 1 of the printed bill is **substituted** for the word "causes." The words "on the demand of the district attorney" are **eliminated** from this section immediately preceding the word "whenever" in line 12, page 1 of the printed bill. The words "reduce the same to longhand or typewriting," in lines 15 and 16, page 1 of the printed bill are **substituted** for the words "to transcribe the same in all cases where an indictment is returned. If an indictment has been found against a defendant." The word "such," in line 16, page 1 of the printed bill is **substituted** for the word "the." The last five words in line 16, all of lines 17, 18 and 19, and the first four words in line 20, page 1 of the printed bill are **substituted** for the

words "given in his case before the grand jury, shall be served upon him within five days after the discharge of the grand jury, or if the grand jury has not been discharged, at least five days before the cause is set for trial."

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 285. CARR.

Amends Sec. 988 of the Penal Code, relating to the arraignment of a defendant in a criminal proceeding. The words "**provided**, that if an indictment has been found against the defendant, at the time of his arraignment he shall be served with a true copy of the testimony given in his case before the grand jury" are **added** to the end of the present section by this amendment.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 286. CARR.

Amends Sec. 1487 of the Penal Code, relating to the writ of habeas corpus. Subdivision (8) is **added** to the present section and provides that "where a party has been indicted on a criminal charge without reasonable or probable cause shown by the testimony given in his case before the grand jury," he may be discharged upon habeas corpus, subject to the restrictions of Sec. 1486.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 287. CARR.

Amends Sec. 361a of the Civil Code, relating to the transfer of corporate property. All of lines 18 to 27, both inclusive, on page 1 of the printed bill are **added** to this section and relate to the consent of the stockholders of a real estate holding corporation to the leasing of property held by such corporation.

To Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 288. CARR.

Deer. Gen. L. and Sup. No. 1770a.

Amends Sec. 19c of the Juvenile Court Act of 1915. The word "eleven" in line 12, page 2 of the printed bill is **substituted** for the word "eight"; the word "five" in line 19, page 2 of the printed bill is **substituted** for the word "three"; the word "three," on line 21, page 2 of the printed bill is **substituted** for the word "two." This section relates to the **probation offices in Alameda County.**

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 289. CARR.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1770a.

Amends Sec. 3 of the Juvenile Court Act of 1915. The words "or city and county," which appear in line 13, in line 14, in line 16, in line 24 and in line 30 on page 2 of the printed bill are in each case

added by this amendment. The last five words in line 33, and all of lines 34 to 42 inclusive, page 2 of the printed bill are **substituted** for the words "either the judge of said court or the clerk thereof may set the time for the hearing of said petition."

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 290. CARR.

Deer. Gen. Law and Sup. No. 1770a.

Amends Sec. 13 of the Juvenile Court Act of 1915. The words "or city and county," which appear in line 7, in line 10, in line 12, in line 14, in line 27, in line 28, and in line 33, page 2 of the printed bill are **added** in each instance. The words "by order of court," in line 13, page 2 of the printed bill are **added**. The words "last named," in line 15, page 2 of the printed bill are **added**. The words "accept the transfer of such case and," in lines 15 and 16, page 2 of the printed bill are **added**. The word "thereof," in line 16, page 2 of the printed bill is **substituted** for the words "of the case." The words "of transfer," in line 17, page 2 of the printed bill are **added**. Lines 18 and 19, and the first nine words in line 20, page 2 of the printed bill are **added**. The words "as herein provided," in line 29, page 2 of the printed bill are **added**. The word "ease," which occurs in line 33 and in line 37, page 2 of the printed bill is in each instance **substituted** for the word "matter." The words "the certified copy of" in line 34, page 2 of the printed bill are **added**. The words "transmitted for filing to the juvenile court of the county or city and county of residence of said person," in lines 34, 35 and 36, page 2 of the printed bill are **added**. The words "certified copies of said order of," in line 38, page 2 of the printed bill are **added**. The words "and of said original petition," in lines 38 and 39, page 2 of the printed bill are **added**. The words "and of such case," in line 42, page 2 of the printed bill are **added**.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 291. CARR.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1770a.

Amends Sec. 16 of the Juvenile Court Act of 1915. Lines 17 to 29, both inclusive, page 2 of the printed bill contain several new provisions not found in the present section, in regard to the records of the juvenile court. **Requires** that the clerk of the juvenile court shall keep an index of all proceedings filed in said court, and an index containing a synopsis of all findings, orders, judgments and decrees of said juvenile court, and shall also keep minutes of all hearings in said court, including the names of the witnesses. The word "proceedings" in line 30, page 2 of the printed bill is substituted for the word "cases."

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 292. EDEN.

Deer. Gen. L. Supp. No. 635.

Amends Secs. 15 and 19 of the Junior Colleges Act of 1921. Sec. 15 is amended as follows: All the words beginning with the word "provided" line 13, page 1 of the printed bill, and ending with the

word "year" line 17, page 1 of the printed bill are **added**. All words beginning with the word "he," in line 11, page 2 of the printed bill, and ending with the word "shall" line 17, page 2 of the printed bill are **added**. The sentence beginning with the words "the amount" in line 23, and ending with the word "college" line 30, page 2 of the printed bill are **substituted** for the last paragraph of Sec. 15 of the present section and refers to the expenses of educating students not residing in the junior college district in which they are attending school.

Sec. 19 is amended as follows: The words "The State Department of Education has" in line 35, page 2 of the printed bill are **added**. The words "normal school or" are **eliminated** from Sec. 19 by this amendment in three places, to wit: Just after the word "state" line 36, just before the word "teachers" line 37 and just before the word "state" line 40, all on page 2 of the printed bill. The last sentence of Sec. 19 of the present section is **revamped** by this amendment and the proviso is **added** thereto to the effect that state and county apportionments based upon the attendance of students upon junior college courses maintained by a teachers college shall be in the sum of \$100 per unit of average daily attendance from the state junior college fund and a like amount from the county.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 293. EDEN.

Deer. Gen. L. Supp. No. 2232a.

Amends Sec. 2 of the act of 1921, accepting the benefits of the Federal Oil Leasing Act, and adds Sec. 3a to said act. Sec. 2 is amended as follows: The words "State Treasurer and" are **eliminated** before the word "state," line 6, page 2 of the printed bill. The word "total" is **eliminated** before the word "number," line 6, page 2 of the printed bill. The words "or any junior college department of the state teachers colleges" in lines 8 and 9, page 2 of the printed bill are **added**.

Sec. 3a provides that each state teachers college maintaining junior college courses shall be entitled to receive from the junior college fund \$100 per unit of average daily attendance upon such junior college courses during the preceding school year. Provides that the amount so apportioned to state teachers colleges shall be **perpetually** appropriated for the payment of salaries in such colleges. Provides for the procedure of paying over such apportionment.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges

S. B. 294. HURLEY.

Deer. Gen. L. Supp. No. 2143c.

Amends Sec. 16 of the Workmen's Compensation Act of 1917. Adds subdivision c to this section which creates two medical referee boards to pass upon the cause and extent of disability and the adequacy of treatment of injured employees and, in cases of death arising under this act, to determine the cause of such death.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 295. HANDY.

Amends Sec. 626d of the Penal Code. This section is revamped by this amendment and numerous changes are made in the bag limit of geese, ducks and quail. **Eliminates** the provisions of the present section as to black-breasted or golden plover and yellow legs. The words "one calendar week" line 19, and in line 30, page 1 of the printed bill are in each instance **substituted** for the words "between sunrise of one Sunday and sunrise of the following Sunday."

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 296. McDONALD.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2886.

Amends the Railroad Commission Act of 1915.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Public Utilities.

S. B. 297. McDONALD.

Amends Sec. 2283 of the Pol. Code. This amendment **eliminates** from the present section all reference to the child or children of a father who is incapacitated for gainful work by permanent physical disability, or who is suffering from tuberculosis in such a stage that he can not pursue a gainful occupation (see Sec. 22, Art. IV, constitution). The **maximum** appropriation for the support and maintenance in institutions of orphans and abandoned children, is increased from \$120 per annum to \$200 per annum, and the **maximum** appropriation for half orphans is increased from \$120 per annum to \$150. **Provides** that an abandoned child must have been an inmate of an institution conducted for the support of such children, for at least one year prior to the receiving of any support provided for in this chapter.

To Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

S. B. 298. McDONALD.

Appropriates \$2,000,000 for the support of orphans, half orphans and abandoned children.

To Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

S. B. 299. McDONALD.

Deer. Gen. L. Supp. No. 2331d.

Amends Sec. 1 of the Jitney Bus Act of 1917. The last three words in line 4, all of lines 5 to 11, both inclusive, and the first nine words in line 12, page 2 of the printed bill are **added** by this amendment and have reference to the definition of the term "transportation company."

To Committee on Public Utilities.

S. B. 300. ARBUCKLE.

New General Law. This bill is known as the “**Auto Stage and Truck Tax Bill**,” and proposes a license fee on transportation, for hire, of persons or property by motor vehicle. **Provides** that the license shall be measured by **seven** per cent of the gross receipts from such transportation business. The tax to be extended and collected as other state taxes and to be distributed **one-half to the state** of California and **one-half to the counties** of the state, to be used exclusively for the maintenance and repair of public highways. The bill excepts from its provisions the transportation of persons to or from any public school, vehicles 75 per cent of whose income is received from contract for carrying United States mail, and the transportation of the owner's own property, or employees.

To Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

S. B. 301. HANDY.

Appropriates \$200 to pay the claim of B. H. Miller against the State of California.

To Committee on Finance.

S. B. 302. HART.

Amends Sec. 626k of the Penal Code. The words “or any wild duck, or wild geese” in line 6 page 1 of the printed bill are **added**.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 303. McDONALD.

Amends Sec. 2552 of the Pol. Code. The words “not less than \$160 nor more than” are **eliminated**, after the word “wharfingers” line 8, page 1 of the printed bill. The amendment **eliminates** “collectors” as officers of the State Board of Harbor Commissioners.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

S. B. 304. ARBUCKLE.

Deer, Gen. L. No. 2331b.

Amends the Motor Vehicle Act of 1915.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

S. B. 305. SWING.

New General Law. Declares a public highway known as the “**National Old Trails Route**,” extending from the city of Needles in San Bernardino County to a point where said highway intersects the boundary line between California and Arizona, opposite the

town of Topoc, Arizona, to be a state highway and places such highway under the management and control of the Department of Public Works and the Division Highways. **No appropriation.**

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

S. B. 306. SWING. (By request.) Deer. Gen. L. and Sup. No. 3937.

Amends Secs. 60, 61, 62, 63, 66, 67, 68, 70 and 72 of the Street Improvement Act of 1911.

Sec. 60 is amended as follows: The words "the fifteenth day of the next November following," in line 14, page 1 of the printed bill are **added**. The same words are **added** in lines 1 and 2, page 2 of the printed bill. The words "after their date" in lines 4 and 5, page 2 are **added**. The last seven words in line 7, and all of lines 8 to 15, both inclusive, page 2 of the printed bill are **added**. The words "together with all penalties thereon," line 20, page 2 of the printed bill are **added**. All the matter beginning with the word "with" in line 35, and ending with the word "bond" in line 39, page 2 of the printed bill is substituted for the words "all interest thereon which has accrued and is unpaid, and all penalties accrued and unpaid, together with the two semiannual installments of interest which will next thereafter become due according to the terms of such bond."

Sec. 61 is amended as follows: The words "the like description of said bond shall be inserted in the resolution ordering the work, in the resolution of award, and in all notices of said proceedings required by this act to be either posted or published" are **eliminated** after the word "bear" in line 4, page 3 of the printed bill. The word "twenty" in line 6, page 3 of the printed bill is **substituted** for the word "thirty." The words "or five days after the decision of said counsel upon an appeal" are **eliminated** by this amendment just after the word "wherein" in line 7, page 3 of the printed bill. The word "assessment" in line 7, page 3 of the printed bill is substituted for the words "wherein provided for in Sec. 22 of this act."

Sec. 62 is amended as follows: The word "twenty" in line 10, page 3 of the printed bill is **substituted** for the word "thirty." Five lines of the present law are **eliminated** from this section by this amendment after the word "wherein" in line 11, page 3 of the printed bill, and relate to the time when the street superintendent shall require the return provided for in Sec. 25. All the words beginning with the words "the principal" in line 14, and ending with the words "or proceeding" line 51, page 3 of the printed bill are **added** and are substituted for a paragraph of the present law which is eliminated from Sec. 62 and incorporated in Sec. 63 as amended. The **added** provisions in Sec. 62 relate to subsequent assessments and penalties for delinquency.

Sec. 63 is amended as follows: All the words, beginning with the words "the city," in line 3, and ending with the word "map," line 17, page 4 of the printed bill (with the exception of the words "where the unpaid assessment or the unpaid remainder thereof amounts to \$25 or over"), which are added, constitute that portion of Sec. 62 of the present law which is transferred by this amendment to Sec. 63. The word "first" is eliminated before the word "lien" in

line 42, page 4 of the printed bill. The words "the fifteenth day of the next November following," in line 51, page 4 of the printed bill are **added**. The words "the following fifteenth day of next November," line 3, page 5 of the printed bill are **added**. The words "hereto attached" in line 9, page 5 of the printed bill are **added**. The words "calculated up to the due date of the next maturing interest coupon and all penalties accrued and unpaid, together with interest for six months at the rate named in said bond," in lines 21, 22 and 23, page 5 of the printed bill are **substituted** for the words "which has accrued and is unpaid and all penalties accrued and unpaid, together with the two semi-annual installments of interest which will next thereafter become due according to the terms of said bond." All of lines 30 to 38, both inclusive, page 5 of the printed bill are **added**.

Sec. 66 is amended as follows: The words "as set forth in section sixty hereof," line 2, page 6 of the printed bill are **substituted** for all those words beginning with the word "payable," in line 5, Sec. 66 of the present law (Deer. Gen. L. p. 1812) and ending with the word "thereof," in line 14 of Sec. 66 of the present law (same reference).

In **Sec. 68** the words "by two insertions," in line 19, page 6 of the printed bill are **substituted** for the words "for two weeks."

In **Sec. 70** the words "and all penalties which have accrued," in line 33, page 7 of the printed bill are **added**.

Sec. 72 is amended as follows: The last five words in line 9, all of line 10 and the first ten words in line 11, page 8 of the printed bill are **added**. The word "at" in line 21, and all of lines 22 to 39, both inclusive, page 8 of the printed bill are **added**. This relates to the payment of general taxes, street improvement assessments or other taxes or statutory liens, by the purchaser of land sold to satisfy such lien or liens.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

S. B. 307. SWING. (By request.)

Amends Sec. 2924 of the Civil Code, relating to mortgages and deeds of trust. The last seven words in line 2, and all of lines 3 to 8, inclusive, page 2 of the printed bill are substituted for the words "in the manner and for a time not less than that required by law for sales of real property upon execution," and **relates** to the method of publication of notice of sale by a mortgagee or trustee.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 308. SWING. (By request.)

New General Law. Purports to validate bonds of any municipal corporation and all acts and proceedings leading up to and including the issuance of such bonds, whether such bonds have already been sold or are hereafter to be sold. **Provides** for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest of such bonds. Does not

apply to bonds sold for less than par, bonds which are not authorized by a two-thirds vote or bonds running for more than 40 years.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

S. B. 309. SWING. (By request.)

New General Law. Purports to validate the annexation of any territory to, or the incorporation of any territory into any municipal corporation in this state, and any and all proceedings taken for that purpose. **Provides** that this act shall not operate to legalize any annexation which is opposed by a majority of the electors in such territory purporting to have been annexed.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

S. B. 310. SLATER.

New General Law. **Provides** that certain lands located in Sonoma County, and owned by the state, may be used by the State Highway Commission for highway purposes, and describes said lands by metes and bounds.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

S. B. 311. SLATER.

Amends Secs. 1617, 1662 and 1720 of the Pol. Code, relating to junior high schools. The last four words in line 7, all of lines 8 to 12, are **added** to Sec. 1617, and the greater part of the present section relating to tuition charges in junior high schools, is **eliminated**. The words "in districts in which there are not enough junior high schools to care for all pupils of the seventh and eighth grade," in lines 16, 17 and 18, page 1 of the printed bill are **added to Sec. 1662**. The last three words in line 22 and all of lines 23 to 26, both inclusive, page 1 of the printed bill are **added**. The last eight words in line 6, and all of line 7 and the first two words in line 8, page 3 of the printed bill are **added to subdivision sixth of Sec. 1662**, but the **effect** of this addition is to make the said subdivision **unintelligible**. This is probably due to clerical error.

Sec. 1720 is amended as follows: The words "four year" are **eliminated** from subdivision first of this section just preceding the words "high schools," in line 26, page 4 of the printed bill. The words "junior high schools, senior high schools and evening high schools" are **eliminated** from subdivision first of this section just preceding the word "technical." The numbering of the subdivisions in this section is **altered**, due to the fact that a new subdivision is inserted by this amendment between subdivisions first and second of the present Sec. 1720, which said added subdivision is numbered "second." This **added subdivision** provides that the high schools of the state shall be designated as **four year** high schools, junior high schools, senior high schools and evening high schools.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 312. SLATER.

Appropriates \$350 to pay the claim of Frank Pedroncelli against the State of California.

To Committee on Finance.

S. B. 313. SLATER.

New General Law. Reserves certain state land, defining it by metes and bounds, from sale, and provides that such land shall be devoted to the use of the Sonoma State Home.

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

S. B. 314. DENNETT.

New General Law. Provides that any number of persons, not less than twenty, may organize a mutual insurance company. **Sets out** the provisions which must be included in the articles of incorporation. **Provides** that the name of such corporation must contain the word "mutual," and that it must not be confusing or misleading. **Provides** for the filing of the articles of incorporation in the office of the insurance commissioner after approval by him, and in the office of the county clerk of the county of the home office of the company, and in the office of the Secretary of State. **Provides** that such corporation shall have legal existence from the date the articles of incorporation are filed in the office of the Secretary of State. **Provides** that the board of directors may adopt by-laws and proceed to transact business as an insurance company, only after being licensed to transact insurance business as provided in this act. **Prescribes** the rules under which such mutual insurance company shall carry on business. **Provides** that any public or private corporation, board or association in the state may enter into agreements for, and hold policies in, such mutual insurance company. **Provides** that each member of the company shall be entitled to at least one vote, and more as provided in the by-laws. **Requires** that the policies shall provide for a premium or premium deposit payable in cash and, except as otherwise provided, for a contingent premium at least equal to the premium or premium deposit. **Prescribes** the procedure in case the admitted assets are at any time less than the reserve and other liabilities. **Requires** that such company shall maintain unearned premium separately for each class of insurance. **Provides** that any director or member may advance such sums of money as are necessary for the purpose of the company's business and to enable it to comply with the law, and that such person may charge interest up to ten per cent on such moneys. **Prescribes** certain terms which must be included in the policies issued by such company. **Prescribes** the conditions which must be met by such company before it shall be licensed to do business. **Provides** that such company shall be subject to all provisions of law applicable generally to insurance companies effecting the same kind of insurance. **Declares** that the gross premiums received for direct insurance from property or risks in this state shall

be taxed, and provides for the levy and payment of such taxes. **Provides** that such company may reinsure any of its risks in other companies. **Provides** that this act shall not apply to any insurance company of this state now doing business, unless such company may elect to adopt the provisions of, and become subject to, this act. **Provides** penalties for the violations of any of the provisions of this act. **Repeals** the Mutual Fire Insurance Act of May 1, 1911 (Deer. Gen. L. No. 1672b), and provides that this act shall not restrict or affect the County Fire Insurance Act of 1897 (Deer. Gen. L. No. 1667).

To Committee on Insurance.

S. B. 315. BREED.

Repeals Secs. 3909 to 3958, both inclusive, of the Pol. Code and adds Secs. 3909 to 3966, both inclusive, thereto. **Purports** to reestablish and redefine the boundaries of every county in the State of California. A bill similar to this was enacted in 1919, but was declared unconstitutional by the Supreme Court in *Mundell vs. Lyons*, 182 Cal. 289, the court holding that inasmuch as the law altered the boundary line between Los Angeles and Ventura counties that it violated the provisions of Sec. 3 of article XI of the constitution of California.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 316. BREED.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 3822.

Amends Secs. 2, 4, 11, 22 and 26 of the State Land Settlement Act of 1917.

Sec. 2 is **amended** as follows: The words "board of directors of land settlement," in line 28, page 1 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "board and director of land settlement." The last seven words in line 13, and all of lines 14 to 28, both inclusive, page 2 of the printed bill, are **added**, and **provide** for the transfer of certain duties, powers, authority and jurisdiction over the subject of land settlement from the **board of public works** to the **board of land settlement**.

Sec. 4 is amended as follows: The words "or on such terms as it shall deem fit," in lines 40 and 41, page 2 of the printed bill, are **added**. The last eight words on line 46, and all of lines 47 to 52, both inclusive, page 2 of the printed bill, and all of lines 1 to 26, both inclusive, page 3 of the printed bill, are **added**, and outline the powers and authority of the Board of Land Settlement in relation to colonization activities.

Sec. 11 is amended as follows: The words "lands or interest therein," in lines 3 and 4, and again in line 6, on page 4 of the printed bill, are **added**.

The words "or lease," in line 45, page 4 of the printed bill, are **added** to Sec. 22.

In Sec. 26 the money which the State Board of Control is authorized to advance to the Board of Land Settlement to meet contingent expenses is **increased** from \$5,000 to \$10,000.

To Committee on Finance.

S. B. 317. BREED.

Amends Secs. 363a and 363e of the Pol. Code, relating to the Department of Public Works. Sec. 363a is amended by **eliminating** all reference to the Division of Land Settlement.

Sec. 363e is amended by **eliminating** all provisions which refer to the State Land Settlement Board as one of the divisions of the Department of Public Works.

The **effect** of these amendments is to abolish the Division of Land Settlement and the State Land Settlement Board.

See Senate Bill 316.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

S. B. 318. BREED.

Adds chapter II to title V of part III of the Pol. Code, embracing Secs. 2251 to 2260, both inclusive, relating to the education of the deaf and blind and **purports to repeal** Secs. 2237, 2238, 2239, 2240, 2243, 2244, 2254, 2255, 2257, 2270, 2280 and 2282 of said code. **This is a companion bill to A. B. 659.** See said Assembly bill for digest.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 319. BREED.

Amends Sec. 1519a of the Pol. Code, relating to the powers and duties of the State Board of Education. The word "school," following the word "high," in line 37, page 3 of the printed bill, is **added**. The words "California School for the Blind, California School for the Deaf," in lines 10 and 11, page 4 of the printed bill, are **added**.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 320. BREED.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1672m.

Amends Secs. 1, 2 and 3 of, and adds Sec. 4 to, the act of 1917, relating to the establishment and maintenance by fire insurance corporations of surplus and reserve funds.

Sec. 1 is **amended** as follows: The words "an examination of the condition of such corporation and," in lines 16 and 17, page 1 of the printed bill, are **added**. The words "of fire insurance," in lines 2 and 3, and the word "such," just before the word "policies," in line 3, page 2 of the printed bill, are **added**. The words "of which this is amendatory," in line 5, page 2 of the printed bill, are **added**. All of lines 15 to 20, both inclusive, and the first word in line 21, page 2 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "capital stock." All of the words beginning with the word "twice," in line

31, and ending with the word "said," in line 34, page 2 of the printed bill, are **added**. The words "all of," in line 40, and the words "of every class," in line 41, page 2 of the printed bill, are **added**. The last five words in line 5, and all of lines 6 and 7, page 3 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "capital stock."

Sec. 2 is **amended** as follows: The last four words in line 22, and all of lines 23 and 24, page 3 of the printed bill are **substituted** for the words "one-half of the capital stock." The last four words in line 46, and all of lines 47 and 48, page 3 of the printed bill are **substituted** for the words "one-half of the par value of its capital stock." The words "of fire insurance," in line 50, page 3 of the printed bill are **added**.

Sec. 3 is **amended** as follows: The words "and surplus, including said guaranty surplus funds," in lines 8 and 9, page 4 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "and of the guaranty surplus fund hereinbefore provided." The words "in the amount hereinbefore specified," in lines 40 and 41, page 4 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "equal to one-half of its capital stock." The last two words in line 45, all of lines 46 and 47, and the first four words in line 48, page 4 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "fifty per centum of the full amount of the capital of the corporation." The words "any capital so impaired shall be so made up to at least the sum of \$200,000" are **eliminated** from Sec. 3 after the word "amount," in line 50, page 4 of the printed bill. The words "minimum amount of capital required by law to be maintained by fire insurance companies admitted to do business in this state," in lines 3, 4, 5 and 6, page 5 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "one-half of its capital stock." The words "minimum amount of capital," in line 10, page 5 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "one-half of the capital stock."

Sec. 4 **provides** for the procedure by which any domestic fire insurance corporation may discontinue a guaranty surplus fund or a special reserve fund already established.

To Committee on Insurance.

S. B. 321. MURPHY.

New General Law. Establishes new seawall lot on the water front of San Francisco, to be designated as Seawall Lot No. 26, and defines it by metes and bounds. **Provides** that the State Board of Harbor Commissioners shall have possession, jurisdiction and control of said lot, and authorizes said board to use said lot as it may deem expedient for the purpose of advancing the interest of commerce of the port of San Francisco. **Authorizes** said board to lease said seawall lot at their discretion, and **provides** rules to govern said board in making such leases.

To Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

S. B. 322. MURPHY.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1038.

Amends Sec. 7 of the Employment Agency Act of 1913. Changes the provisions in regard to the license fees to be charged to employment agencies. Increasing the size of the fee in each instance, and making the size of such fee depend upon the classification of the city in which such employment agency is located, on the basis of population. Under the present law the size of this fee depends on the statutory class to which the city in question belongs. The provisions relating to surety bonds of such employment agencies are likewise changed, the size of such bond being made to depend, as in the case of license fees on the basis of population of the city in which said employment agency is located, and not upon statutory class to which said city belongs.

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

S. B. 323. INMAN.

Appropriates \$152 to pay the claim of the Voorhies Investment Company against the State of California.

To Committee on Finance.

S. B. 324. INMAN.

Adds Sec. 3464 to the Political Code. Provides that the negligence of the trustees or trustee of the reclamation district shall be imputed to the district, just as though said reclamation district were a private corporation. **Provides** that said reclamation district shall have power and authority to levy assessments to pay any damage so incurred.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 325. INMAN.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 297,
and Appendix to Civil Code.

Amends the Bank Act of 1909.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Banking.

S. B. 326. POWERS.

Appropriates \$10,000 for improvements to the summer session property of the State Teachers College of Chico, located in Siskiyou County.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 327. POWERS.

Amends Sec. 4041 of the Pol. Code, relating to the powers of boards of supervisors. Subdivision 10, on page 5 of the printed bill, is **added** and **authorizes** the board of supervisors to sell at public auction any property belonging to the county, and not required for public use. Subdivision 26a, on page 7 of the printed bill, is **added** and **authorizes** the board of supervisors to take steps to control and eradicate diseases of live stock.

To Committee on County Government.

S. B. 328. GRAY.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2331b.

Amends the Motor Vehicle Act of 1915.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

S. B. 329. GRAY.

Amends Sec. 258 of the C. C. P., relating to court commissioners. This amendment increases the number of commissioners, which may be appointed by the superior court of every city and county in the State from **six** to **ten**.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 330. HURLEY.

New General Law. Creates and establishes a Bureau of Licensure to regulate the examining and licensing of applicants to practice medicine in this State. **Provides** that the board shall consist of five members to be appointed by the Governor. Sec. 2 of this act prescribes the powers and duties of the said Bureau of Licensure, and **provides** that said bureau shall be officially designated as the "Doctor of Medicine (M.D.) Bureau of Licensure, State of California." Sec. 3 prescribes rules which shall govern the examination of applicants to practice medicine in this State, and other rules governing the issuance of certificates to certain persons without examination. **Provides** for the payment of a fee of **ten** dollars for every certificate to practice medicine issued by said bureau. Sec. 4 sets out conditions under which said bureau shall have the power to revoke any "Doctor of Medicine" certificate granted by said bureau. Secs. 5, 6, 7 and 8 relate to the issuing of "Doctor of Medicine" certificates to persons holding degree of doctor of medicine from institutions of learning, which measure up to certain standards, and **provide** penalties for the illegal practice of medicine in this State, and for the prosecution of such violations.

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

S. B. 331. HURLEY.

New General Law. Provides that it shall be unlawful for any person who holds himself out as competent to treat the sick or afflicted in this State in the capacity of a doctor or physician or surgeon, to advertise or use such title or titles or appellation on office doors, windows, billboards, newspapers, etc., without accompanying such title with words or letters showing the additional qualifications, and the degree upon which it is based. The bill is probably aimed at the spurious advertising of "quack" doctors. **Provides** penalties for the violations of the provisions of the act. Repeals all acts in conflict.

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

S. B. 332. HURLEY.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2331b.

Amends the Motor Vehicle Act of 1915.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

S. B. 333. INGRAM.

Amends Sec. 4277 of the Pol. Code. El Dorado County Government Act.

To Committee on County Government.

S. B. 334. INGRAM.

Amends Sec. 626g of the Pol. Code. As amended this section provides for a closed season on tree squirrels until September 1, 1925.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 335. INGRAM.

Adds Sec. 36a to the Civil Code. Provides that in certain cases minors, of the age of sixteen years or over, can not disaffirm contracts of life insurance, otherwise valid wherein such minor is the insured and the insurance is for the benefit of himself or any one or more of the ascending or descending kindred; spouse, brothers or sisters of the insured. **Provides**, further, that this section does not apply to any promissory note or other evidence of debt given by such minor in payment of any first year premium for such insurance.

To Committee on Insurance.

S. B. 336. LYON.

New General Law. Purports to make uniform the law in this State with other states in regard to aeronautics. **Regulates** the flying of aircraft over the lands and waters of this State, and **provides** that

the landing of such aircraft on the lands or waters of private persons, without their consent, is unlawful, except in cases of forced landings. **Provides** that the owners of aircraft shall be liable for injuries to persons or property on land or water beneath, caused by the operation of such aircraft, whether such owner be negligent or not. **Provides** that these rules apply likewise to the lessees of aircraft and that the owner and lessee may be sued jointly or severally for injuries caused by aircraft owned or operated by them. **Provides** that the laws of this State shall govern in all cases of crime, torts, and other wrongs committed by or against an aeronaut or passenger while in flying over this State. **Provides** penalties for the violation and **repeals** all acts in conflict.

To Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

S. B. 337. LYON.

Appropriates \$200,000 to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the support of the University of California, Southern Branch, for the seventy-third and seventy-fourth fiscal years. **Urgency measure.**

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 338. LYON.

Appropriates \$450,000 for the purchase and development of land adjacent to and to be used by the Southern Branch of the University of California in Los Angeles.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 339. WEST.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 420.

Amends the act of 1881, relating to tolls, charged for crossing bridges across navigable streams.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

S. B. 340. WEST.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2331b.

Amends the Motor Vehicle Act of 1915.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

S. B. 341. LEWIS.

Amends Secs. 1560, 1564 of the Pol. Code, relating to teachers' institutes. Section 1560 is amended as follows: The words "two dollars per teacher for each teacher employed", in line 25, page 1 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "two hundred dollars". The words "the institute fund and", in lines 2 and 3, page 2

of the printed bill, are **added**. The word "day", in line 34, page 2 of the printed bill, is **added**.

Sec. 1564 is **amended** as follows: The words "two dollars per teacher employed therein", in line 9, page 3 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "two hundred dollars." The words "five hundred dollars", in line 12, page 3 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "three hundred dollars", and the same change is made in line 22, page 3. The words "two dollars", in line 23, page 3 of the printed bill are **substituted** for the words "one dollar".

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 342. LEWIS.

Adds Sec. 1610a to the Pol. Code. Provides that it shall be the duty of the governing board of any school district, whenever in its discretion it appears advisable, to furnish at least one meal per day to pupils in attendance at the public schools, and to school employees of the school district, when the schools are in session. **Provides** that such meals shall not be furnished at less than actual cost.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 343. LEWIS.

Amends Sec. 1612 of the Pol. Code, relating to the powers and duties of the governing boards of school districts. The words "the governing boards of school districts", in line 3, page 1 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "boards of school trustees and city boards of education". The word "four", in line 5, page 1 of the printed bill, is **substituted** for the word "two". The word "will" in line 8, page 1 of the printed bill, is **substituted** for the word "may". All of lines 12, 13 and 14, and lines 17, 18 and 19, page 1, are **added**. The words "five hundred", in line 2, page 2 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the word "one thousand". The words "one thousand dollars", in line 11, page 2 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "five hundred dollars". The last nine words in line 14, and all of lines 15 to 19, both inclusive, page 2 of the printed bill, are **added** and relate to the letting of contracts for school work.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 344. LEWIS.

Amends Secs. 1700 and 1701 of the Pol. Code, relating to the salaries of teachers. All words beginning with the word "provided", in line 8, and ending with the word "district", in line 15, page 1 of the printed bill, are **added** to Sec. 1700, by this amendment, and **provide** that the governing boards of school districts may employ or permit certain competent persons who do not hold teachers certificates to address the pupils of their district from time to time, and **provide** for the compensation of such persons.

The words "governing board of the school district", in line 23, page 1 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "board of trustees, or city board of education", in Sec. 1701. The last five words on line 1, and all of lines 2 to 9, both inclusive, page 2 of the printed bill, are **added** to Sec. 1701 by this amendment, and are identical with the words and provisions added to Sec. 1700 by this amendment.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 345. LEWIS.

Adds Sec. 1608d to the Pol. Code. Authorizes the governing boards of school districts to rent, purchase or build and furnish school buildings to **house employees** of the school district.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 346. LEWIS.

Adds Sec. 1608e to the Pol. Code. Provides that the governing boards of school districts may, in their discretion, rent, purchase, or build, and furnish school buildings to **house pupils or employees** of the school district.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 347. LEWIS.

Adds Sec. 1609a to the Pol. Code. Provides that the city superintendents of schools shall have power and it shall be their duty to recommend officers, teachers or other employees for employment in the respective school district of such superintendent; to prepare and present to the governing board of the school district a budget of the needs of the school district for the ensuing year; to organize courses of study; to supervise instruction given in all of the schools of the school district; to make such reports to the county superintendent of schools and to the State Superintendent of Public Instruction as may be required by law; to make an annual report to the governing board of the school district showing the financial and instructional condition of all the schools of the school district for the next preceding school year. **Provides** that the superintendent of schools shall be elected by the governing board of the school district for a term of four years and makes the Teachers Tenure Act of 1921 (Pol. Code, Sec. 1609) apply to him after his second election. **Provides** that no one can be eligible to the position of city or district superintendent unless properly certificated.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 348. DENNETT.

New General Law. Purports to validate and confirm the organization of all irrigation districts organized under the provisions of the Irrigation District Act of 1887. (Deer Gen. L. No. 1717.)

To Committee on Irrigation.

S. B. 349. HANDY.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 977.

Amends Sec. 4 of the Knights Landing Ridge Drainage District Act of 1913. The words "in a county wherein part of the land of said district lies", in line 19, page 1 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "at the city of Sacramento, but the same may be changed by the said board from time to time". The provisions in regard to regular meetings are changed, the amendment providing that the board shall hold such regular meetings "as the by-laws of the district may provide", whereas under the provisions of the present law the dates for the holding of such regular meetings are particularly designated.

To Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

S. B. 350. HANDY.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1923.

Amends Sec. 4 of the Sacramento River West Side Levee District Act of 1915. The words "shall be located in a county wherein part of the land of said district lies", in lines 18 and 19, page 1 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "shall be so placed as designated by said board, but the same may be changed by said board from time to time". The words "but the meetings both regular and special shall be held in the office of the district", in lines 5 and 6, page 2 of the printed bill, are **added**. The word "expenses", in line 14, page 2 of the printed bill, is **substituted** for the word "mileage".

To Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

S. B. 351. LEWIS.

Amends Sec. 1566 of the Pol. Code, relating to school trustees. The word "each" in line 5, page 1 of the printed bill, is **substituted** for the word "one". The words "shall select the trustee whose duty it shall be to" are **eliminated** after the word "district", in line 8, page 1 of the printed bill. The words "and each trustee so selected" are **eliminated** after the word "meeting", in line 9, page 1 of the printed bill. The last nine words in line 12, all of lines 13 and 14, and the first two words in line 15, page 1 of the printed bill, are **added**.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 352. HANDY.

Amends Sec. 3453 of the Pol. Code, relating to reclamation districts. The words "each of whom must be the owner of record of lands within the said district, or a duly authorized representative of a corporation which is an owner of record" are **eliminated** after the word "persons", in line 11, page 1 of the printed bill. The word "therein", in line 13, page 1 of the printed bill is **substituted** for the word "thereof". The words "for two years next succeeding their election, and" in lines 14 and 15, page 1 of the printed bill, are **added**. The words "under and in pursuance of the provisions of said section three thousand four hundred ninety-one" are **eliminated** after the word "whenever", in line 15, page 1 of the printed

bill. All of lines 16 to 20, both inclusive, and the first word in line 21, page 1 of the printed bill, are **added**, and relate to the offices of the board of trustees of the reclamation districts. The word "four", in line 5, page 2 of the printed bill, is **substituted** for the word "two".

To Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

S. B. 353. LEWIS.

Amends Sec. 1552 of the Pol. Code, relating to school superintendents. This section, as amended, **provides** that the county superintendent shall receive traveling expenses incurred in visiting the public schools of his county and in transacting school business outside of his office. The present section **provides** that the county superintendent shall receive traveling expenses, not to exceed ten dollars per district per annum, and does not require that such traveling expenses be incurred in connection with school business. The words "when he attends the annual convention of county, city, and district superintendents called by the State Superintendent of Public Instruction under the authority of Sec. 1533 of the Political Code of the State of California, and shall also receive his actual and necessary traveling expenses", in lines 8 to 13, page 1 of the printed bill, are **added**.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 354. E. J. GATES.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2643.

Adds Sec. 17 to the Teachers Retirement Salary Act of 1913. This section **provides** that those members of the staff of the Los Angeles State Normal School, who continued as members of the faculty of the Southern Branch of the University of California, and who were entitled, upon the date of the establishment of said Southern Branch of the University of California, to the benefits of, and subject to the provisions of, the Teachers Retirement Salary Act shall continue to be so entitled to such benefits and subject to such provisions, if they so elect on or before December 31, 1923, by notice and payment of the amounts due under the law, to the public school teachers retirement salary fund board.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 355. SAMPLE.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 61.

Repeals Sec. 9, and adds Secs. 9, 9a, 9b, 9c, 9d, 9e, 9f, 9g and 9h to the Real Estate Commission Act of 1919.

Sec. 9 of the present law, relating to applications for license as real estate broker, is **repealed**. A new Sec. 9 is added **providing** for a board of real estate broker examiners.

Secs. 9a to 9h, both inclusive, prescribe the rules and regulations which shall be observed by said board of real estate broker examiners in examining all applicants for a real estate broker's license. **Provides** that each applicant for examination shall pay to the secretary of the board a fee of \$25. **Provides** necessary administrative

rules to govern said board of real estate broker examiners and **provides** for their appointment, prescribing their duties and fixing their compensation.

This is a companion bill to A. B. 756.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 356. SAMPLE.

Amends Sec. 4077 of the Pol. Code, relating to claims against counties. All of lines 3 and 4, and the first three words in line 5, page 1 of the printed bill, are **added** to this section. The last five words in line 8, all of lines 9 to 13, both inclusive, and the first four words in line 14, page 1 of the printed bill are **added**, and provide for the notification of the claimant, in case the board of supervisors reject his claim.

To Committee on County Government.

S. B. 357. SAMPLE.

Amends Sec. 538 of the C. C. P., relating to attachments. The words "such contract was made or is payable in this state, and that" are **eliminated** from subdivision 1 of this section by this amendment after the word "that", line 9, page 1 of the printed bill.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 358. SAMPLE.

Amends Sec. 537 of the C. C. P., relating to attachments. The words "where the contract is made or is payable in this state" are **eliminated** by this amendment after the word "money", in line 10, page 1 of the printed bill.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 359. SAMPLE.

Deer. Gen. L. Snp. No. 1700.

Adds Secs. 30 to 33, both inclusive, relating to the purchase of stocks, bonds, and securities to the Corporate Securities Act of 1917.

Sec. 30 **provides** that any person or company doing business in this State as agent or broker in selling corporate securities, who, or which, does not deliver such corporate securities at the time of the purchase and payment for such corporate securities, by the purchaser of same, must report this fact to the Commissioner of Corporations, and must furnish such Commissioner with full information regarding such sale.

Sec. 31 **provides** that such person, firm or company so dealing in corporate securities must at once deposit the amount of the purchase price of such corporate securities in a depository, to be designated by the Commissioner of Corporations, and to remain on deposit until released by the said Commissioner.

Sec. 32 **provides** that upon the delivery of such corporate securities to the purchaser the Commissioner of Corporations shall issue a certificate to the depository stating that such corporate securities have been delivered to the purchaser and ordering the depository to pay over the said deposit to the vendors of such corporate securities.

Sec. 33 **relates** to penalties for violations of these added sections.
To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 360. SAMPLE.

Adds Sec. 4234a to the Pol. Code. **Provides** that in counties of the fifth class (San Diego) the recorder shall be entitled to the actual cost incurred by him for the recording of all papers, documents and records in his office, specifying the maximum amounts which may be so allowed for such expenses. **Declares** this to be an urgency measure.

To Committee on County Government.

S. B. 361. SAMPLE.

New General Law. Makes it a felony to use purse seine nets, drag nets, lampara nets or round haul nets for taking fish in Fish and Game District 19. **Provides** penalties. **Repeals** all acts in conflict.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 362. SAMPLE.

Amends Sec. 626 of the Penal Code. This section as amended **provides** that it shall be lawful to kill, take, hunt, pursue or destroy cottontail or brush rabbits at any time in Fish and Game District 4.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 363. SAMPLE.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 185.

Amends Sec. 1 of the act of 1883, relating to bounties on predatory animals. As amended this section authorizes boards of supervisors of counties to place bounties of one hundred dollars per animal upon mountain lions, whenever in their discretion they may deem it advisable to do so.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 364. LYON.

Amends Sec. 4153 of the Pol. Code, relating to the duties of the district attorney. Subdivision 9 is **added** to this section, and **provides** that the district attorney must attend each session of the court of domestic relations, or assign a deputy whose chief duty shall be to attend each session of such court, and to prosecute all persons cited for contempt in such court.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 365. SAMPLE.

Appropriates \$16,000 for the purchase of certain real property adjoining the premises of the State Teachers College at San Diego. The description of the property is omitted.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 366. SAMPLE.

Appropriates \$17,400 for the paving of certain streets adjacent to the property of the State Teachers College at San Diego. The description of the proposed improvement is omitted.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 367. SAMPLE.

Appropriates \$10,000 for the maintenance and repair of the California State Building at Balboa Park, San Diego.

To Committee on Finance.

S. B. 368. SAMPLE.

Appropriates \$150,000 for the construction of new buildings for the San Diego State Teachers College.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 369. SAMPLE.

Appropriates \$4,000 for the purchase and installation of fixtures in laboratories of the San Diego State Teachers College.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 370. SAMPLE.

Appropriates \$15,000 for the repair and upkeep of the San Diego State Teachers College.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 371. SAMPLE.

Appropriates \$2,000 for the installation and equipment of a cafeteria upon the premises of the San Diego State Teachers College.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 372. SAMPLE.

Appropriates \$2,000 for the alteration and improvement of the library of the San Diego State Teachers College.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 373. SAMPLE.

Appropriates \$2,000 for the purchase and installation of lockers and cabinets in certain buildings of the San Diego State Teachers College.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 374. SAMPLE.

Appropriates \$5,000 for the purchase and installation of furniture in the junior high school unit of the San Diego State Teachers College.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 375. SAMPLE.

Appropriates \$6,000 for the installation of equipment in the shops at the San Diego State Teachers College.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers College.

S. B. 376. SAMPLE.

Appropriates \$1,200 to reimburse the trustees of the California Building, located at Balboa Park, San Diego, for money expended for the maintenance of said building.

To Committee on Finance.

S. B. 377. SAMPLE.

Amends Sec. 322 of the Civil Code, relating to the liability of stockholders. An amendment to this section was passed in 1917 in the identical words of this bill, but never became effective due to the failure of the amendment to Sec. 3 of article XII of the state constitution to pass when it was submitted to the electors. See S. C. A. 16 of the present session.

The words "forty-second session," in line 10, page 3 of the printed bill, should be **amended** to read the "forty-fifth session".

To Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 378. W. F. GATES.

Adds Sec. 1705 to, and amends Sec. 1734b of the Pol. Code. Sec. 1705 forbids the employment as a teacher or school supervisor of certain near-relatives of school trustees, members of boards of education, city or county superintendent, or other school officials in any school under the jurisdiction of such official, except in districts entitled to not more than one teacher.

Sec. 1734b is **amended** as follows: All words beginning with the words "and provided, further," in line 14, and ending with the word "districts", in line 28, page 2 of the printed bill, are **added** and relate

to the uniting of certain common school districts to form union high school districts.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 379. W. F. GATES.

New General Law. Provides that the county superintendent of schools shall be elected by the school trustees and members of city boards of education in every county, in convention assembled. **Provides** for the notification of all such persons of the approaching election by the county superintendent of schools. **Outlines** the procedural rules which shall govern such elections. **Prescribes** certain professional qualifications for eligibility to such office. **Outlines** procedure in case such election is contested. **Provides** for the salary of such official.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 380. BURNETT.

Adds Sec. 629a to the Pol. Code. Provides that any life insurance company may issue life or endowment insurance, with or without annuities, with special rates of premiums less than the usual rates, upon the **group plan**, and value policies of such insurance on any accepted mortality table, so long as such table shall not represent a standard lower than the Medico-Actuarial Table of Mortality with interest at three and one-half per centum. **Prescribes** other rules incidental to the issuance of such insurance. **A. B. 518 is a companion bill.**

To Committee on Insurance.

S. B. 381. BURNETT.

Amends Sec. 602 of the Pol. Code, relating to insolvency of insurance companies. The words beginning with the word "excepting", in line 27, and ending with the word "law", in line 34, page 2 of the printed bill, are **added**, and enumerate certain exceptions to the insolvency rules now contained in this section.

To Committee on Insurance.

S. B. 382. BURNETT.

Amends Sec. 629 of the Pol. Code, relating to valuation of life insurance policies. The last eight words in line 11, all of lines 12 to 16, both inclusive, and the first two words in line 17, page 2 of the printed bill, are **added** by this amendment, and **provide** that the Commissioner of Insurance may vary the standard of mortality in the case of contracts issued by corporations organized in this State in a country other than the United States in order to adopt a standard of mortality applicable to such other country.

To Committee on Insurance.

S. B. 383. BURNETT, M. B. JOHNSON, GODSIL, MURPHY, CANEPA, CROWLEY, GRAY, AND McDONALD.

Appropriates \$500,000 for the construction of a highway in San Mateo County from the Beresford road to South San Francisco.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

S. B. 384. M. B. JOHNSON, BURNETT, CANEPA, CROWLEY, GODSIL, GRAY, McDONALD, AND MURPHY.

New General Law. Authorizes the creation of development districts. This is a companion bill to A. B. 729. For digest, see said Assembly bill.

To Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

S. B. 385. E. J. GATES. Approved by the Governor. Chapter 4.

S. B. 386. CANEPA.

Amends Sec. 4041 of the Pol. Code, relating to the general powers of boards of supervisors. Subdivision 10 is **added** by this amendment and authorizes the board of supervisors to sell at public auction for cash any property belonging to the county and not required for public use, and outlines the procedure which shall govern such sales.

To Committee on County Government.

S. B. 387. CANEPA.

Amends Sec. 2646 of the Pol. Code, relating to county highways. The words "general road fund or the district fund of the district or districts benefited", in lines 23 and 24, page 1 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "general fund of the county". The words "at the option of the board of supervisors expressed by resolution, the provisions of this section shall apply to such highways of the county as may be specified in such resolution, constructed or improved under the provisions of subdivision 10, of section 2643, of the Political Code, and paid for out of the general fund of said county", are **eliminated** from the present section by this amendment after the word "advisable", in line 27, page 1 of the printed bill.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

S. B. 388. CANEPA.

Amends Sec. 2653 of the Pol. Code, relating to property highway tax. The words "eighty cents", in line 10, page 1 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "forty cents".

To Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

S. B. 389. CANEPA.

Amends Sec. 4043 of the Pol. Code, relating to the protection of highways from damage by floods. The words "general road fund", in line 14, page 1 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "general fund of the county".

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

S. B. 390. CANEPA.

Amends Secs. 2639 and 2640, relating to the powers and duties of boards of supervisors over the roads and highways of the county. Apparently a companion bill to A. B. 753. See said Assembly bill for digest.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

S. B. 391. CANEPA.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2331b.

Amends the Motor Vehicle Act of 1915.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

S. B. 392. CANEPA.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 2164.

Amends Sec. 9 of the Medical Practice Act of 1913. The words "the study of medicine or has completed at least a two year course of college grade including at least one year in each of the subjects of physics, chemistry and biology", in lines 32, 33, 34 and 35, page 3 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "the last half of the second year in the study of medicine or has completed a course which includes at least one year of work, of college grade, in each of the subjects of physics, chemistry and biology."

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

S. B. 393. CANEPA.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 2164.

Amends Sec. 10 of the Medical Practice Act of 1913. The words "a total of at least 4000 hours", in line 1, page 2 of the printed bill, are added. "The courses of instruction outlined in this section, prescribing the minimum requirements for eligibility of applicants for physicians and surgeons certificates, drugless practitioners certificates and certificates to practice chiropody" are **revised** by this amendment. The total minimum number of hours of study required of applicants for certificates to practice chiropody is increased from 664 hours to 1245 hours, and all provisions of the present section relating to certificates to practice midwifery are eliminated.

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

S. B. 394. JONES.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 297.

Amends Secs. 12 and 12a of the Banking Act of 1909.

In Sec. 12 the words "or prevent any building and loan association from accepting and advertising that it accepts savings for which certificates or evidence of indebtedness are issued; provided, further, that they may borrow money, make loans, issue stock," in lines 15 to 19, both inclusive, page 2 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for similar provisions in the present section, which contains much unnecessary detail.

In Sec. 12a the same change is made as in Sec. 12 (see lines 29 to 33, both inclusive, page 3 of the printed bill), and the words "and provided, further, that in all such advertising it shall be plainly stated that such corporations are building and loan corporations," in lines 35, 36 and 37, page 3 of the printed bill, are **added** by this amendment.

To Committee on Banking.

S. B. 395. JONES.

Amends Sec. 1830 of the Pol. Code. The words "for improving school grounds, for building sidewalks, for grading and paving streets adjoining real property owned by the school district," in lines 9, 10 and 11, page 1 of the printed bill, are **added**. Apparently this amendment is also contained in A. B. 776.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 396. JONES.

Amends Sec. 1880 of the Pol. Code, relating to elections for school district bonds. The words "for building sidewalks, for grading and paving streets adjoining real property owned by the school district," in lines 17, 18 and 19, page 1 of the printed bill, are **added**. Apparently this amendment is also contained in A. B. 776.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 397. BURNETT.

Adds Sec. 3664aa to the Pol. Code. **Provides** that all independently operated steam railroads, less than 250 miles in length, shall annually pay to the state a tax upon all their franchises and property used exclusively in the operation of their business in this state equal in amount to $5\frac{1}{4}$ per cent of their gross receipts from operation. **Provides** rules for determining the amount of such gross receipts. **Provides** that such taxes shall be in lien of all other taxes and licenses, state, county and municipal, upon such property of such companies, except as otherwise **provided** in Sec. 14 of article XIII of the constitution.

To Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

S. B. 398. McDONALD.

New General Law. Provides that any farmer or agriculturalist may in any way and by any means protect his property and crops from the aggression of wild animals.

To Committee on Agriculture and Live Stock.

S. B. 399. McDONALD.

Adds Sec. 857 to the Civil Code. Provides that every person who owns a motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer and who fails to register such vehicle as required by the laws of this state shall forever thereafter be estopped from asserting his ownership or claim of ownership against an innocent purchaser for value of such trailer.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 400. ARBUCKLE.

New General Law. Authorizes the regents of the University of California to collect and import into this state such parasitic and predaceous insects as they may deem necessary for use in the control of black scale, red scale and other insect pests of horticultural and agricultural crops: **authorizes** the employment of collectors of such insects and **provides** for the payment of their subsistence and expenses while engaged in such work. **Repeals** the act of 1921, placing this work under the supervision of the Director of the Department of Agriculture. (Deer, Gen. L. Sup. No. 1652.)

To Committee on Agriculture and Live Stock.

S. B. 401. A. B. JOHNSON.

New General Law. Provides rules and regulations to govern reforestation of cutover timber land, and **provides** for the exemption of such reforested areas from taxation. **Provides** that this act shall be effective only in the event that a new section, to be numbered 1c, is added to article XIII of the constitution (see S. C. A. 14) providing tax exemption for cutover timber land.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Conservation.

S. B. 402. LEWIS.

New General Law. Authorizes the State Board of Control to lease the Norwalk State Hospital lands, in the county of Los Angeles, for purposes of oil development, and **prescribes** rules which shall govern such leasing. **Provides** that out of the moneys realized from such leases the Board of Control shall establish at a suitable location a state hospital similar to that which now exists at Norwalk, California, in order to house and maintain the present inmates of the Norwalk State Hospital. **Provides**, further, that any money remaining from

such leases shall be devoted to the development of educational facilities for the Southern Branch of the University of California.

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

S. B. 403. LYON.

Amends Sec. 1557 of the Penal Code, relating to extradition.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 404. HURLEY.

New General Law. Provides that the state and county shall bear the expense of constructing or repairing those portions of the state highway system or county highway system which run through any municipality, when the funds for paving or repairing such highway system have been raised by a state or county bond issue or special tax against the property within such municipality, as well as the property of unincorporated territory. **Provides** that in case of doubt or dispute between city officials and state or county officials as to what constitutes the natural course of such highways through such municipality that such disputes shall be settled by the chairman of the State Highway Commission. **Repeals** the act of May 23, 1921, relating to the paving of highways within municipalities. (Deer. Gen. L. No. 1467c.)

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

S. B. 405. HURLEY.

Amends Sec. 628 of the Penal Code. Provides that in fish and game district 13 only unmarketable shrimps which may be unavoidably taken in fishing for the fresh market may be dried, but that at no time shall more than twenty-five per cent of the shrimps, brought in by anyone, be dried. **Makes** it a misdemeanor for any person to use any nets for the purpose of taking shrimps in fish and game districts 12 and 13 between the first day of December and the last day of February of the year following, both dates inclusive.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 406. INGRAM.

Appropriates \$500 for completing the rebuilding and for the preservation of the blacksmith shop of James W. Marshall at Kelsey, El Dorado County, California. The work of preservation to be under the direction and control of the society of Native Daughters of the Golden West.

To Committee on Finance.

S. B. 407. INGRAM.

New General Law. Provides for the creation of hazardous fire areas during the period known as "the dry season," upon written petition of the owner or owners of more than fifty per cent of the land within the exterior boundaries of areas containing not less than 25,000 acres, when certain defined fire hazards may be considered to exist in such areas. **Prescribes** rules forbidding or governing the setting or starting of fires in such hazardous fire areas, and **provides** penalties for violations. **Provides** that the State Board of Forestry shall post such areas with suitable warnings.

To Committee on Conservation.

S. B. 408. INGRAM.

New General Law. Provides that certain public lands of the State of California, when situated within the exterior boundaries of a national forest which in the judgment of the **surveyor-general** are more valuable for timber than for any other purpose, may be exchanged for timber lands of the United States of equal value, situated in the State of California. **Authorizes** the surveyor-general to select what lands shall be so exchanged and to arrange with the proper officials of the United States for such exchange. **Prescribes** rules governing such exchange. **Provides** for the sale of products of such land so acquired, and for the leasing of the same. **Provides** that all moneys received under the provisions of this act shall be paid into the **school land fund**. **Repeals** all acts in conflict.

To Committee on Conservation.

S. B. 409. INGRAM.

Amends Sec. 636 of the Penal Code. The word "twelve B" is eliminated from this section after the word "twelve," in line 14, page 1 of the printed bill. The words "provided, further, that it shall be lawful to use gill nets of not less than 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch mesh, in fish and game district 7 A from October 8, 1921, to December 7, 1921, both dates inclusive," are **eliminated** before the word "provide," in line 20, page 1 of the printed bill. The word "twelve A" is **eliminated** after the word "twelve" in line 21, page 1 of the printed bill. All of lines 24 to 27, both inclusive, on page 1, and the first six words on line 1, page 2 of the printed bill, are **added**. The words "twelve A and" are **eliminated** after the word "district," in line 2, page 2 of the printed bill. The words "for the purpose of taking salmon only" are **eliminated** after the word "inclusive" in line 5, page 2 of the printed bill. The words "provided, further," in line 5, page 2 of the printed bill, are **added**. The words "twelve A and" are **eliminated** after the word "district" in line 6, page 2 of the printed bill. The words "or any gill net of less than 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch mesh, except herring, or smelt gill nets of not to exceed 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch mesh," in lines 36, 37 and 38, page 2 of the printed bill, are **added**. The word "twelve A" is **eliminated** after the word "eleven" in line 50 and after the word

“five” in line 51, page 2 of the printed bill. All of lines 25 to 28, both inclusive, page 3 of the printed bill, are **added**.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 410. INGRAM.

New General Law, relating to state highway improvement.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

S. B. 411. INGRAM.

New General Law. Provides for the regulation and licensing of the business of purchasing and distributing petroleum products and other motor vehicle fuels. **Provides** for the collection and disposition of license fees. **Prescribes** penalties.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Oil Industries.

S. B. 412. CANEPA.

Adds Sec. 637k to the Penal Code. Makes it a misdemeanor for any person to take, catch or kill fish in any manner off of any dam in the State of California, and **prescribes** penalties for violations.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 413. CANEPA.

Amends Secs. 1160 and 1164 of the Pol. Code, relating to the opening and closing of election polls.

Sec. 1160 is amended as follows: The words “seven o’clock a.m.,” in line 4, page 1 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words “six o’clock a.m.” The words “six o’clock p.m.,” in line 5, page 1 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words “seven o’clock p.m.”

In Sec. 1164 the words “six o’clock,” in line 17, page 1 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words “seven o’clock.”

To Committee on Elections.

S. B. 414. SLATER.

Appropriates \$2,000 for the alteration of the receiving and isolation hospital at the Sonoma State Home.

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

S. B. 415. SLATER.

Appropriates \$500 for the purchase of equipment for the receiving and isolation hospital at the Sonoma State Home.

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

S. B. 416. OSBORNE.

Amends Sec. 366 of the Pol. Code, relating to the Department of Institutions. The words "The director of institutions may prescribe the conditions of and authorize the transfer of inmates of one institution within the department to another institution within the department." in lines 20 to 23, both inclusive, page 1 of the printed bill, are **added**.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

S. B. 417. DENNETT.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 3574a.

Adds Sec. 1a to the Compulsory Education Act of 1903. Provides that the governing board of any school district may, upon the request of the parents or guardian, excuse the children of such parent or guardian for a period not to exceed two hours in any week, to permit such child to attend week-day schools giving instruction in certain branches not taught in public schools.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 418. DENNETT.

New General Law. Provides that upon the presentation of a petition signed by a majority of the holders of title in a certain area to the board of supervisors of the county in which such area is situated, such area or areas may be organized into **colonization districts**. Provides for the subdivision, development and settlement of lands included within such colonization districts and declares the equalized county assessment roll of the county in which any lands included are assessed to be **conclusive evidence of the value of said lands**, and the holders of title or evidence of title thereto.

To Committee on Agriculture and Live Stock.

S. B. 419. DENNETT.

New General Law. Creates the **San Joaquin River Irrigation District**, and prescribes rules to govern the administration of such district. Sec. 1 of the bill, which purports to prescribe the boundaries of said district, is skeleton in form.

To Committee on Irrigation.

S. B. 420. GODSIL.

Amends Sec. 791 of the Pol. Code, relating to notaries public. **Increases** the number of notaries public which the Governor may appoint and commission in counties of the **second class** (San Francisco) from 130 to 140.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 421. GODSIL.

New General Law. Requires that all motor vehicles operated upon any public highway in this state shall be equipped with an adequate speedometer.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

S. B. 422. HARRIS.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1038.

Adds Sec. 11a to the act of 1913, regulating private employment agencies. Requires that every licensed person conducting an employment agency shall file with the Commissioner of Labor a schedule of fees to be charged and collected in the conduct of the business of such agency. **Provides** that changes may be made in such schedules from time to time, but that no such change shall take effect until thirty days after the date such schedule is filed with the Commissioner of Labor, nor until such schedule has been posted for at least thirty days in a conspicuous place in the agency.

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

S. B. 423. POWERS.

New General Law. **Provides** measures for the control and eradication of contagious and infectious diseases among domestic live stock. Makes an appropriation to carry out the provisions of the act.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Agriculture and Live Stock.

S. B. 424. POWERS.

New General Law. **Creates** in the state treasury a fund to be known as "The State Board of Forestry Contingent Fund," and **provides** that all revenues, donations and contributions from certain enumerated sources shall go into this fund. **Provides** that the funds shall be expended for any of the legal functions of the State Board of Forestry.

To Committee on Conservation.

S. B. 425. POWERS.

Amends Sec. 626s of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 426. HANDY.

Amends Sec. 2191 of the Pol. Code. The words "Whittier State School, Preston School of Industry," or "California School for Girls,"

which appear in this bill in lines 7 and 8, and again in lines 11, 12 and 13, both inclusive, on page 1 of the printed bill, are **added** by this amendment. The words "and delinquent," in line 13, page 2 of the printed bill, are **added**.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 427. HANDY.

Adds Sec. 1734c to the Pol. Code. Provides for the calling of an election upon a petition to the board of supervisors for the purpose of changing the boundaries of high school districts. Prescribes the rules which shall govern such election. **Provides** that the boundaries of a high school district shall be changed only between the first day of October and the tenth day of February of any year except as otherwise **provided** by law. The dates set out in line 6, page 1 of the printed bill are ambiguous as they stand.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 428. BOGGS.

New General Law. Provides that in counties of the eighth class (San Joaquin) there shall be a chief probation officer, whose salary shall be \$150 per month; two assistant probation officers, whose salaries shall be \$100 per month each; and two other assistant probation officers, whose salaries shall be \$75 per month each.

To Committee on County Government.

S. B. 429. BOGGS.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2554a.

Adds Sec. 4 to the act of 1919, relating to the liability of public officers for injuries due to defects in public property. Provides that the legislative authority of the state or of any municipality thereof may purchase and secure for any officer of the state or such municipality insurance protecting and indemnifying such officer against liability for damage or injury to any person or property resulting from the defective or dangerous condition of any public property. **Provides** that the premium for such insurance shall be paid from the general fund of the state or of any such municipality. **No money is appropriated.**

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 430. GRAY.

Deer. Gen L. Snp. No. 29.

Amends Secs. 3, 4, 15 and 16 of the Pure Food and Drug Act of 1907. This amendment adds to Sec. 3 of this act a provision authorizing the State Board of Health to make uniform rules and regulations for the enforcing of this act, and requiring the State Board of Health to formulate and render decisions and opinions relative to the interpretation of the provisions of this act and of said rules and regulations

when request is made for such opinions by manufacturers of or dealers in articles of food.

Sec. 4 is **amended** as follows: The words "provided, however, that the presence in any article of food of any harmless ingredient permitted by the standard of purity of food and liquor as established in the manner **provided** by Sec. 3 of this act shall not be deemed an adulteration," in lines 11 to 15, both inclusive, page 2 of the printed bill, are **added**. The words "established in the manner provided in Sec. 3 of this act," in lines 39 and 40, page 2 of the printed bill, are **added**.

Sec. 15 requires in addition to the present requirements that the director of the state laboratory shall furnish to the Board of Health a list of the cases of alleged violations of this act, and, in the event of prosecution for such violations, the result or results of such prosecutions. **Provides**, further, that the State Board of Health may, in its discretion, publish a list of those cases only in which a final judgment or conviction for violation of any provision of this act has been secured. This amendment **adds** to Sec. 16 the additional requirement that an analysis shall be furnished to those persons who executed the guaranty referred to in this section at least twenty days prior to the hearing. **Provides**, further, that the hearing shall be public, and that notice shall be given not less than fifteen days prior to the time fixed for said hearing. **Provides** that the analysis by the director of the state laboratory may be controverted.

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

S. B. 431. BOGGS.

Amends Secs. 78 and 90 of the Pol. Code. This bill **reapportions** the state into assembly and senatorial districts according to the 1920 federal census.

To Committee on Reapportionment.

S. B. 432. E. J. GATES.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 61.

Amends Secs. 2, 3, 11a, 12, 19 and 20a of, and adds Sec. 9a to, the Real Estate Commission Act of 1919.

No change is made in Sec. 2 by this amendment.

In Sec. 3 the last eight words in line 52, page 2, all of lines 1 to 4, both inclusive, and the first four words in line 5 on page 3 of the printed bill, are **added**, and require the Real Estate Commissioner to publish a directory of licensed brokers and salesmen and to mail one copy of such directory to each licensed broker without charge.

In Sec. 11a the words "in a conspicuous place on the premises to indicate that he or it is a real estate broker, and the name of said individual, firm or corporation shall be clearly shown thereon. The size of such sign shall conform to regulations that may be adopted by the Real Estate Commissioner," in lines 25 to 29, both inclusive, page 3 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "on the premises wherein is located his place of business on which shall be plainly stated that he is a real estate broker."

Sec. 12 is amended as follows: The word "herein," in line 41, page 3 of the printed bill, is **substituted** for the words "in section two hereof." The word "denying," in line 52, page 3 of the printed bill, is **added**. The words "applicant or," in line 1, and the word "denying," in line 4, page 4 of the printed bill, are **added**. The words "filing with the judge of the superior court a bond in a sum to be fixed by the court to guarantee honest dealing during the time the appeal is pending and," in lines 12 and 15, both inclusive, page 4 of the printed bill, are **added**. The words "in suspending or revoking any license," in line 31, page 4, of the printed bill, are **added**.

In Sec. 12, the words "eleven, eleven a," in line 42, page 4 of the printed bill, are **added**.

In Sec. 20a all the words and provisions contained in lines 4 to 33, both inclusive, page 5 of the printed bill, are **added** by this amendment, and provide that the Real Estate Commissioner shall have authority to investigate colonization or farm acreage subdivision or rural settlement enterprises, and that he shall make a public report thereon, and, in his discretion, that he shall issue a certificate of approval thereof. Outlines the provisions and items of information which such certificate of approval must contain.

Sec. 9a, which is added, **provides** that all applicants for broker's license shall file with the Real Estate Commissioner a bond, duly executed by sufficient surety, in the amount of two thousand dollars, conditioned upon the faithful performance by such broker of any undertaking as a licensed real estate broker under this act. **Provides** that in case of violation of any such undertakings by such broker the Real Estate Commissioner may grant to any person injured by such violation the right to prosecute such bond in the name of the said Real Estate Commissioner.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 433. EDEN.

New General Law. Purports to validate certain municipal bonds of the city of Fullerton, in Orange County.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

S. B. 434. EDEN.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 434Sa.

Amends Sec. 1 of the Water Companies Act of 1913. All the words and provisions commencing with the words "provided, however", in line 20, page 1, and ending with the word "act", in line 21, page 2 of the printed bill, are **added** to Sec. 1, and **provide** that whenever the owner of a water supply not otherwise dedicated to public use, and primarily used for domestic purposes by such owner, shall sell or deliver the surplus of such water for domestic purposes or for the irrigation of adjoining lands, in case of emergency or for the accommodation of neighbors, then such owner shall not be subject to the provisions of the Public Utilities Act of this State or to the jurisdiction, control and regulation of the Railroad Commission of this State. **Provides, however,** that the Railroad Commission may hold hearings

and issue process for the purpose of determining the status of any person, firm or private corporation, etc., operating or managing any water system or water supply within this State, to determine whether the water system of such person shall be classified as a public utility.

To Committee on Public Utilities.

S. B. 435. EDEN.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 2389.

Amends Sec. 4 of the Act of 1909, relating to the construction of and maintenance of sewers, etc. All words and provisions commencing with the word "provided", in line 12, and ending with the word "conduit", in line 48, page 2 of the printed bill, are **added** to Sec. 4 by this amendment, and **provide** that whenever any two or more municipal corporations or sanitary districts, or one or more municipal corporations and one or more sanitary districts, shall have entered into a joint agreement relating to the building of sewer systems, such municipal corporations or sanitary districts may permit additional municipal corporations or sanitary districts to become a party or parties to such joint agreement. **Provides** that in such cases such additional municipal corporations shall bear an equitable share of the expense of constructing and maintaining such sewer systems.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

S. B. 436. BREED.

Amends Sec. 634 of the Penal Code. Subdivision second of the present section is split into subdivisions second and third of this section in the printed bill, and the numbering of subdivisions third, fourth and fifth of the present sections are altered. Subdivision sixth of the present section is eliminated by this amendment. The words "or between the sixteenth day of September and the thirtieth day of April of the year following in Fish and Game District Five A", in lines 10, 11 and 12, page 2 of the printed bill, are **added**. The words "or between the sixteenth day of August and the thirty-first day of May of the year following", in lines 14, 15 and 16, page 2 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "or between the first day of March and the thirtieth day of April". The words "or between the sixteenth day of August and the thirtieth day of April of the year following", in lines 17 and 18, page 2 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "or between the first day of March and the fifteenth day of April". The words "or between the sixteenth day of June and the thirty-first day of March of the year following", in lines 19 and 20, page 2 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "or between the first day of January and the thirty-first day of March". The words "sixteenth day of August and the thirty-first day of May of the year following:", in lines 12 and 13, page 3 of the printed bill are **substituted** for the words "the first day of March and the thirtieth day of April of the same year". The words "or between the seventeenth day of September and the fourteenth day of November of the same year, both dates inclusive" are **eliminated**.

after the word "inclusive", in line 14, page 3 of the printed bill. The words "sixteenth day of August and thirtieth day of April of the year following", in lines 28 and 29, page 3 of the printed bill are **substituted** for the words "the first day of March and the fifteenth day of April". The words "or between the tenth day of September and the fourteenth day of November, both dates inclusive", are **eliminated** after the word "inclusive", in line 30, page 3 of the printed bill. The word "twelve 'B'", in line 34, page 3 of the printed bill is **added**. The words "at any time", in line 50, page 3 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "between the first day of May and the thirty-first day of December of the same year, both dates inclusive". The words "sixteenth day of June and the thirty-first day of March of the year following", in lines 14 and 15, page 4 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "seventeenth day of September and fourteenth day of November of the same year, both dates inclusive, or between the thirty-first day of January and the thirty-first day of March". The words "takes, catches, kills or", in lines 15 and 16, page 4 of the printed bill, are **added**.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 437. BREED.

New General Law. Authorizes the creation of a fund to carry out the provisions of the Land Settlement Act of 1917. **Provides** for the issuance and sale of State bonds not to exceed \$3,000,000 in the aggregate, for the purpose of creating such fund. **Outlines** the procedure incident to the issuance of such bonds, and **provides** ways and means for the payment of interest on such debts and liabilities so created, and **provides** for the payment and discharge of the principal of such debt, as such principal matures. **Creates** a State Land Settlement Finance Committee to be composed of the Governor, State Controller, State Treasurer, Chairman of the State Board of Control and Chairman of the State Land Settlement Board, and **provides** that such members shall serve without compensation. **Defines** powers and duties of said State Land Settlement Finance Committee. Appropriates \$10,000 to defray the expenses of preparing and advertising the sale of bonds provided for by this act. **Provides** that this act shall be submitted to a vote of the people at the general election to be held in November, 1924. **Repeals** all acts in conflict.

To Committee on Finance.

S. B. 438. ALLEN.

New General Law. **Provides** that upon a petition signed by a majority of the owners of property along any public highway to the board of supervisors of any county traversed by any such public highway, said board of supervisors shall direct its **county engineer** (?) to plant trees along such public highway for the purpose of forming windbreaks. **Provides** that the cost of such planting shall

be assessed against the abutting property owners, in proportion to the frontage which each may own along such highway.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

S. B. 439. SHARKEY.

Amends 628a of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 440. SHARKEY.

Amends Sec. 636 of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 441. SHARKEY.

Amends Sec. 634 of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 442. SHARKEY.

Amends Sec. 1764 of the Pol. Code, relative to county high school tax. The last six words in line 12, all of lines 13 to 25, both inclusive, and the first nine words in line 26, all on page 1 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "this amount he shall estimate in the following manner: He shall allow".

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 443. SHARKEY.

Adds Sec. 1532a to the Pol. Code. Provides that the Superintendent of Public Instruction must require from each county superintendent of schools, on or before the twentieth day of September of each year, a report showing the amount of money that will be produced during the then current year by the county elementary school tax, levied by the board of supervisors, and the amount of money that will be produced during the then current year by the county high school tax, levied by the board of supervisors, together with a statement of the total of the last assessment roll made by the county assessor, and the rate of tax levied for the county elementary school fund and the rate of tax levied for the county high school fund. **Provides** that if it shall appear from such report that the county elementary school tax, and the county high school tax has been levied as provided in Sec. 6 of article IX of the constitution of this State, that the Superintendent of Public Instruction shall apportion to such county its

share of the State School Fund and of the State High School Fund, as provided in Secs. 1532 and 1761, respectively, of the Political Code. **Provides, however,** that if it shall appear from the report that any county has failed to levy a sufficient tax, as required by law, that the Superintendent of Public Instruction shall apportion to such county from the State School Fund or from the State High School Fund, as the case may be, an amount equal only to the amount of the county elementary school fund raised by such county, or in case of high school funds, an amount equal only to one-half the amount of the county high school fund raised by such county.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 444. M. B. JOHNSON.

Amends Sec. 1519a of the Pol. Code, relating to the powers and duties of the State Board of Education. This amendment revamps, alters the provisions of, or adds new provisions to every subdivision of the present section, except subdivisions seventh and ninth, which remain unchanged.

Subdivision first, **requires** that the board shall prescribe the qualifications which shall entitle applicants to certificates to teach in junior colleges, high schools, elementary schools and kindergartens; to supervise instruction; to act as librarian; to act as attendance officer and to supervise the health and development of pupils.

Subdivision second, **provides** that the board shall authorize or issue credentials upon which the county boards of education may grant such certificates, and **provides** that each credential granted must state the kind of service it authorizes, and the date of its expiration.

Subdivision third, **enumerates** the basic standard for each of the several kinds of certificates mentioned in subdivision first.

Subdivision fourth, **requires** the board to prescribe rules for the examination of certain persons who appear to have sufficient schooling and experience to qualify them for certificates, but who can not furnish the necessary credentials.

Subdivision fifth, **requires** the board to grant life diplomas in certain enumerated cases.

Subdivision sixth, relates to the payment of fees for life diplomas, credentials or documents applied for, and **provides** for the disposition of the proceeds of such fees.

Subdivision eighth, **authorizes** the board to create a Commission of Credentials to consist of certain enumerated school officials, such commission to have authority to review the cases of applicants for credentials in life diplomas, and to perform certain other duties as the State Board may see fit to assign to such Commission of Credentials.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 445. M. B. JOHNSON.

Adds Sec. 362f to the Pol. Code. Provides that the State Department of Education shall have power, subject to the approval of the Board of Control, to fix the price for the sale of any bulletin or publication by the State Department of Education or of any institution thereof. **Provides** for distribution of copies of such bulletins or publication, to school superintendents, school boards, libraries and teacher-training institutions. **Provides** for the disposition of moneys received from the sale of such publications.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 446. M. B. JOHNSON.

Amends Secs. 1770, 1771, 1772, 1773 and 1774, and repeals Secs. 1775, 1776, 1777 and 1778 of the Pol. Code, relating to the certification of teachers and other persons to serve in the public schools of the State. Sec. 1770 is amended by striking out subdivision second of the present section, relating to semi-annual meetings of the county boards of education. With the exception of subdivision first and second of Sec. 1771 and subdivision sixth of Sec. 1772, the provisions of these two sections, as amended by this bill are almost entirely new. The provisions of the present Sec. 1772 are entirely eliminated by this amendment. Sec. 1771, as amended, **provides** that county boards of education have power to provide for the conferring of diplomas of graduation, by examination, upon pupils graduating from the elementary schools of the county, except city schools governed by city boards of education; to adopt and use an official seal; and to prescribe the course of study for each grade of elementary schools of the county; **provides** that the courses of study so prescribed shall not apply to elementary schools in cities governed by city boards of education.

Sec. 1772, as amended, empowers county boards of education to grant certificates, authorizing the holder to teach in secondary schools, elementary schools and kindergartens; to supervise instruction; to act as librarians; to act as attendance officers; to supervise the health and development of pupils, and **requires** that such certificates must clearly state the kind of service it authorizes. Empowers county boards to grant such certificates without examination on credentials approved by the State Board of Education to teach in elementary schools, on California state normal school or on California state teachers college diplomas, or certificates to teach special subjects in elementary and secondary schools on the same diplomas mentioned just above, accompanied by recommendations as to subjects, signed by the Superintendent of Public Instruction. **Provides** for the revoking or suspension of certificates so issued in certain specified cases.

Sec. 1773, as amended, **eliminates** in entirety the provisions of the present section, and **provides** that county boards of education must, without examination, and without fee, grant county certificates on California life diplomas and normal documents.

Sec. 1774, as amended, **eliminates** in entirety the provisions of the present section, and **provides** that no person may teach, act as

attendance officer or act as a supervisor of health and development in the public schools of this State, unless he has on file with the county superintendent of schools a certificate authorizing him to perform the service. **Provides** the same rule as regard to librarians in any high school. **Provides** that librarians properly certificated shall rank as teachers, and shall be subject to the provisions of the public school teachers' retirement salary law. **Requires** that on June 30, 1924, all persons employed as supervisors of instruction or principals in schools, or superintendents must also have on file with the county superintendent of schools certificates authorizing them to perform the service for which they are employed.

Sec. 1775 is **repealed**, and relates to the granting of certificates by county boards of education, without examination.

Sec. 1776 is **repealed**. The present section prohibits members of county boards of education or of a city board of examination from preparing anyone for any examination.

Sec. 1777 was repealed in 1880.

Sec. 1778 is **repealed**, and relates to the issuance of permanent teachers' certificates.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 447. M. B. JOHNSON, BURNETT, MURPHY, GODSIL, GRAY, CROWLEY, McDONALD, AND CANEPA.

New General Law. Creates a public corporation to be known as the Peninsula Development District. **Defines** the territory of such district, and confers certain powers upon such district, and **provides** for the exercise of such powers. Sec. 3 of this bill is skeleton in form.

To Committee on Manufactures.

S. B. 448. CARR.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2643.

Amends Secs. 6, 8, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 17 of the Teachers' Retirement Salary Act of 1913. The provisions of Sec. 6, relating to the amounts which must be paid into the fund by a teacher at the time of retirement are altered by this amendment. The amount which is required to be paid being made to depend upon whether the retirement of such teacher is under Sec. 13 or under Sec. 14 of this act.

A new subdivision, numbered subdivision fifth, is **added** to Sec. 8, and **authorizes** the public school teachers' retirement salary fund board to employ certain expert clerical assistance as may be necessary for the administration of the act, and to pay such assistants out of the teachers' permanent fund. As the result of the added subdivision the numbering of subdivisions fifth and sixth of the present section is altered.

The last eight words in line 23, all of lines 24 to 28, both inclusive, page 3 of the printed bill, are **added** to Sec. 11 by this amendment.

The words "the secretary of the board shall report to the board at each quarterly meeting the amount necessary to pay the retirement salaries for the preceding quarter", in lines 31, 32 and 33 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the first nine lines of the present section and result in the elimination of much detail.

The last five words in line 18, all of lines 19 to 25, both inclusive, and the first seven words in line 26, page 4 of the printed bill, are **added** to Sec. 13, and relate to the periods of teaching which may be counted toward the total period necessary to entitle any teacher to retire under the provisions of the retirement salary act.

Sec. 14 is amended as follows: The words "day or evening", in line 40, page 4 of the printed bill, are **added**. All the words and provisions beginning with the words "or party", in line 41, and ending with the word "retirement", in line 45, page 4 of the printed bill, are **added**. The words "by warrant drawn as provided in section eight of this act", in line 52, page 4, and line 1, on page 5 of the printed bill are **added**. The words "in the public schools of this state", in lines 3 and 4, page 5 of the printed bill, are **added**. All the words and provisions beginning with the words "the last ten years", in line 6, and ending with the word "act" in line 14, page 5 of the printed bill, are **added**.

The words and provisions beginning with the word "provided", in line 32, on page 5, and ending with the word "act" in line 22, page 6 of the printed bill, are **added** to Sec. 17 by this amendment and **provide** that in certain cases teachers may prove to the satisfaction of the public school teachers' retirement salary fund board that they are entitled to exemption from the provisions of this act, but provides further that upon failure to prove such claim of exemption any such person shall be subject to the burdens and entitled to the benefits of this act.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 449. CARR.

Amends Secs. 362a, 362b, 362c, and 362d of the Pol. Code, relating to the Department of Education.

Sec. 362a is amended as follows: The word "three" in line 4, page 1 of the printed bill, is **added**. The words "teachers' colleges" in line 14, page 1 of the printed bill, are substituted for the word "normal". The words "subject to the approval of the state board of education" are **eliminated** after the word "education", in line 1, page 2 of the printed bill. All the words and provisions beginning with the word "provided" in line 2 and ending with the word "concerned" in line 17, page 2 of the printed bill, are **added**. Subdivision third is added to this section by this amendment and creates a third division of the Department of Education, to be known as the Division of Vocational Education and Rehabilitation.

The words "the board of trustees of" and the words "and the board of directors", in lines 50, 51 and 52, page 2 of the printed bill, are **added** to Sec. 362c by this amendment. The last word in line 16 and all of lines 17 to 21, both inclusive, page 3 of the printed bill, are **added** to Sec. 362d by this amendment.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 450. CARR.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 2643.

Amends Sec. 15 of the Teachers' Retirement Salary Act of 1913, repeals Sec. 527a of the Pol. Code, and repeals the act of 1913, relating to teachers employed by the California Polytechnic School, the Whittier State School, the California School for Girls, Preston School of Industry and the California School for the Deaf and the California School for the Blind.

Sec. 15 of the act of 1913, is revamped and new provisions are added, providing that the service of a teacher in the California School for Girls, the California School for the Deaf, the California School for the Blind, the Preston School of Industry, the Sonoma State Home, Pacific Colony, the Whittier State School, or upon the State Board of Education, shall be equivalent to service as a teacher under regular certificate in a day or evening school and the time of said service shall be reckoned in determining the right to retirement salaries under the provisions of Secs. 13 and 14 of the Retirement Salary Act. **Adds the proviso** that the teachers offering such services must be the holder of a valid teachers' certificate or a California State teachers credential during such service.

Sec. 2 **repeals** Sec. 527a of the Pol. Code, relating to retirement salaries of teachers employed in State schools and State institutions.

Sec. 3 **repeals** the act of 1919, relating to retirement salaries for teachers employed in State schools and State institutions, and making such teachers subject to the burdens of and entitling them to the benefits of the Teachers' Retirement Salary Act. (Deer. Gen. L. No. 2645a.)

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 451. DENNETT.

Amends Secs. 1205, 1206, 1214, 1215 of the Penal Code, relating to imprisonment and fines.

Sec. 1205 is amended as follows: the words "either with or without a judgment of imprisonment", in lines 4 and 5, page 1 of the printed bill, are **added**. The words "such imprisonment for nonpayment of fine to commence at the expiration and satisfaction of the term of imprisonment adjudged, if any," in lines 6, 7, 8 and 9, page 1 of the printed bill, are **added**. The words "of imprisonment for nonpayment of such fine", in lines 9 and 10, page 1 of the printed bill, are **added**.

The word "either", in line 18, and the words "or with or without a judgment of imprisonment", in lines 19 and 20, page 1 of the printed bill, are **added** to Sec. 1206 by this amendment.

The word "either", in line 25, page 1 of the printed bill, and the words "for nonpayment thereof, or with or without a judgment of imprisonment", in lines 1 and 2, page 2 of the printed bill, are **added** to Sec. 1214 by this amendment. The words "the fine," in line 8, and the words "or both imprisonment and fine and further imprisonment until the fine be paid", in lines 8 and 9, page 2 of the printed bill, are **added** to Sec. 1215 by this amendment.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 452. SAMPLE.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 3930

Amends the Vrooman Act of 1885.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 453. INMAN.

New General Law. Defining and regulating the business of insurance. Defines the terms "insurer", and "representative". **Requires** that every insurer for profit shall file annually with the Insurance Commissioner a report, and prescribing what such report shall contain, including among other things a statement of the financial status of the insurer making such report. **Requires** every insurer for profit to make certain reductions in rates and premiums on insurance when such insurers have incurred losses on any class of hazards in this State that aggregate less than 55 per cent of the aggregate premiums earned in the same five years on the same class of insurance, and **provides** that such reduction must be sufficient to equalize the ratio of such aggregate losses incurred to such aggregate premiums earned in excess of 55 per cent of any such class of insurance in this State with such ratio in the entire United States. **Provides** when such reduction shall become effective. **Requires** that the Insurance Commissioner shall publish a synopsis of the report required to be rendered to him by every such insurer. **Authorizes** the organization and maintenance of **rating bureaus** for the purpose of estimating and promulgating fair and equitable rates of insurance, and prescribing rules for the conduct and regulation of such rating bureaus. **Prohibits** any insurer from being a member of more than one rating bureau for the purpose of rating the same class or classes of hazards. **Requires** that every insurer shall before being permitted to write insurance in this State, file with the Insurance Commissioner, a schedule of rates for each class of hazard insured against by it, unless such insurer has given notice to the Insurance Commissioner that it accepts the schedule of rates applicable to such class of hazards and filed by a rating bureau operating under the laws of this State and of which such insurer is a member. **Forbids** insurers to enter into any contracts to control the rates of insurance or to discriminate against any other insurer, or to publish or encourage any false statement intended to injure the reputation or business of any other insurer licensed to do business in this State. **Provides** for the prosecution of violations of the provisions of this act.

To Committee on Insurance.

S. B. 454. INMAN.

New General Law. Provides for the protection of the soil within this State from destruction by means of the dredging process. **Declares** that the use and cultivation of soil within this State for agricultural purpose is an **ordinary** and necessary use and that the

use of said soil for dredging purposes is an extraordinary and uncommon use. **Declares** it to be for the best interests of this State to encourage the cultivation of the soil and to discourage the destruction or deterioration of said soil by dredging or other means intended to make it useless for agricultural purposes. **Requires** that before any dredging operations shall be commenced application must be made to the State Water Commission for permission to carry on such operations and **provides** what such applications shall contain. **Outlines** the procedure which shall be taken by the State Water Commission upon receipt of any application to commence dredging operations. **Provides** for hearings before said State Water Commission to determine the advisability of issuing a license permitting such dredging operations. **Provides** penalties for violations of this act. **Repeals** all acts in conflict.

To Committee on Agriculture and Live Stock.

S. B. 455. JONES.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 666.

Amends Secs. 5 and 7 of the Civil Service Act of 1913. The words "and shall establish minimum and maximum salary limits for each grade in its classification and positions, and shall provide by rule for advancement of salaries within each grade upon the basis of efficiency and length of service", in lines 18 and 19, page 1, and lines 1 and 2, page 2 of the printed bill, are **added** to subdivision first of Sec. 5 by this amendment. The last ten lines of subdivision first of the present section are **eliminated**, and relate to civil service employees with physical defects or afflictions, and provides that no such person shall be placed in a different grade when such physical defect or affliction does not tend to incapacitate such person in the performance of the duties of his position required by persons of that class.

Subdivision thirteenth of Sec. 7 of the present law is **eliminated**. The effect of such elimination is to place the employees of the State Railroad Commission under civil service.

To Committee on Civil Service.

S. B. 456. JONES.

New General Law. This bill repeals Secs. 3094 and 3095 of the Pol. Code, relating to the dissolution of dead bodies, and **proposes a new General Law**, relating to this subject. **Requires** that every sheriff, coroner, keeper of a county poor house or reformatory, or public institution or any and all State, county, town and city officers having possession, charge or control of bodies to be buried at the public expense, to use due diligence to notify relatives of the deceased of the death of such persons. **Prohibits** post mortem examinations on bodies of the unclaimed dead, without expressed permission of the Secretary of the State Board of Health or the duly authorized agent of the same. **Requires** that all corpses which shall be retained by the State Board of Health for educational purposes within this State shall be embalmed and disposed of subject to the instructions of said State Board of Health. **Provides** that such unclaimed dead shall be

held for a period of thirty days by those to whom they may have been assigned for educational purposes before dissection. **Forbids** the use of bodies of the unclaimed dead for any other purpose, except for the purpose of study and promotion in the instruction of medical science. **Requires** those in charge of all public institutions of which the deceased was an inmate to transmit upon request to the Secretary of the State Board of Health or to any person designated by said board any information which might lead to the identification of such person. **Provides** for the burial at public expense of the bodies of all unclaimed dead, which the State Board of Health may deem unsuitable or unnecessary for scientific purposes. **Provides** penalties for the violations of this act. **The title of this bill should be amended.**

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

S. B. 457. JONES.

Amends Sec. 464 of the Penal Code. Changes the minimum term of imprisonment for persons convicted of burglary with explosives from twenty-five years to one year.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 458. GRAY.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2643.

Amends Sec. 5 of the Teachers Retirement Salary Act of 1913. The last four words in line 10, all of lines 11 to 21, both inclusive, and the first nine words in line 22, page 1 of the printed bill, are substituted for the words "pay said teachers salary shall make said deduction at the time of payment, and shall at the end of each quarter draw a warrant in favor of the State Treasurer for the amounts deducted."

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 459. E. J. GATES.

This is the Budget Bill. The constitution requires the Budget Bill to be introduced in both Houses. The Budget Bill in the Assembly is A. B. 999, introduced by Mr. Kline.

To Committee on Finance.

S. B. 460. BREED.

Appropriates \$75,000 for the furnishing and equipment of the University High School in the city of Oakland.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers' Colleges.

S. B. 461. E. J. GATES.

Amends the Act of 1915, creating a Department of Petroleum and Gas in the State Mining Bureau. The title of this bill fails to provide for a separate Department of Petroleum and Gas for the State, whereas that is the primary object of the bill. Nearly every section

of the present act is revamped, altered or added to, and the sections are rearranged in order and renumbered. Sec. 1 **creates** a new and independent department of the State, to be known as the **State Department of Petroleum and Gas**. **Provides** that the Governor shall appoint a State Supervisor of Petroleum, who shall have jurisdiction over this department. Under the present act the State Mineralogist is the head of the department, and he appoints the supervisor; this bill **eliminates** the State Mineralogist entirely from this department. The provisions of Sec. 2 of this bill correspond with the provisions of Sec. 2 of the present act, except that mention of the State Mineralogist and his salary are **eliminated** from the section, and the number of petroleum engineers is **increased** from **four** to **six**. Sec. 3 of the bill is new. Sec. 4 of the bill is new, the provisions of the present Sec. 4 being incorporated within the provisions of Sec. 8 of this bill. Sec. 4 of this bill authorizes the State Oil and Gas Supervisor to take possession, charge and control, for the Department of Petroleum and Gas, of all the property, offices, etc., of the Department which are now held by the State Mining Bureau for the use of the Department of Petroleum and Gas. Sec. 5 of the bill corresponds to Sec. 4 of the present act, except that the number of field deputies which the State Oil and Gas Supervisor is authorized to appoint is **increased** from **five** to **six** and the provision as to legal advice for the Department of Petroleum and Gas is altered. The provisions of Sec. 6 of the bill correspond to the provisions of Sec. 5 of the present act, except that the words "hereinafter provided for", in lines 25 and 26, page 3 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "of the district for which he is appointed". The provisions of Sec. 7 of this bill are identical with the provisions of Sec. 7 of the present act. The provisions of Sec. 8 of this bill are the same as the provisions of Sec. 8 of the present act, except that the words "oil and gas" are **eliminated** before the word "commissioners", in line 30, page 4 of the printed bill. Sec. 9 of the bill is the same as Sec. 9 of the present act, except that the word "depnty", and the words "of the district as Secretary ex officio of the Board of Oil and Gas Commissioners" are **eliminated** before and after, respectively, the word "supervisor", in line 41, page 4 of the printed bill. That part of Sec. 10 of the present act which enumerates and defines the oil and gas districts in this State is incorporated into Sec. 10 of this bill, with the single change that a sixth district is carved out of the present District No. 1, numbered District 1a, including the counties of Orange, Riverside, San Diego and Imperial. The residue of Sec. 10 of the present act is incorporated, after a part has been **eliminated** and a part revamped, into Sec. 11 of this bill. Sec. 11 as thus constituted, relates to the Board of Commissioners of the Department of Petroleum and Gas, and **provides** for their appointment by the Governor; **provides** for their terms of office, **provides** for the filling of vacancies on such board, **provides** that they shall serve without compensation except their necessary traveling expenses, and **provides** certain administrative rules which shall govern said board. • Sec. 12 of this bill is identical with Sec. 11 of the present act. Sec. 13 of this bill corresponds with Sec. 14 of the present act, with the exception of the words "oil and gas" which are **eliminated** just after the words "board of", in

line 38, and again after the same words, in line 38, page 7 of the printed bill. Sec. 14 of this bill is identical with Sec. 15 of the present law, except that the words "in such a manner that an adequate test and proof of such shut-off may be made", in lines 14 and 15, page 8 of the printed bill are added by this amendment. Sec. 15 of this bill is identical with Sec. 16 of the present law. Sec. 16 of this bill is identical with Sec. 17 of the present law. Sec. 17 of this bill corresponds with Sec. 18 of the present law, except that the word "depth", in line 30, page 9 of the printed bill, is **substituted** for the word "point", and the words "or redrilling", in lines 50 and 51, page 9 of the printed bill, are **added**. Secs. 18, 19, 20, 20a, 21, 22, 23, 24 and 25 of this bill are identical with Secs. 19, 20, 21, 21a, 22, 23, 24, 25 and 26 of the present law, except that the words "oil and gas supervisor", in line 20, page 11 of the printed bill are substituted in Sec. 20 of the present bill for the word "mineralogist", in Sec. 22 of the present law. Sec. 26 of this bill corresponds with Sec. 27 of the present law, except that the words "oil and gas supervisor" are **substituted** for the word "mineralogist", in line 48, page 11 of the printed bill, and again in lines 1 and 2, page 12 of the printed bill, and the words "three hundred thousand dollars", in lines 9 and 10, page 12 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "one hundred eighty-five thousand dollars". In every instance in which, in Secs. 28 to 54, both inclusive, of the present law, the word "mineralogist" appears, the words "oil and gas supervisor" are **substituted** in each corresponding section of this bill. Due to the change in the numbering of the sections of this bill, Secs. 27 to 53, both inclusive, of this bill correspond with Secs. 28 to 54, respectively, both inclusive, of the present law, except for the changes to be hereafter indicated. The words "for the purposes of assessment and taxation", in lines 49 and 50, page 12 of the printed bill, are **added**. The words "or his designated officer", in lines 32 and 33, page 13 of the printed bill, are **added**. The words "or an officer of the department designated by him", in lines 32 and 33, page 13 of the printed bill, are **added**. The words "the attorney-general", in line 39, page 16, and in line 9, page 17, and again in line 14, page 17, of the printed bill, are in each instance **substituted** for the words "the attorney for the state oil and gas supervisor". The words "the department of petroleum and gas", in lines 1 and 2, page 18 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "the state mining bureau". The word "governor", in line 16, page 18 of the printed bill, is **substituted** for the words "state mineralogist". The words "or which is being controlled for the purpose of discovering and producing oil and gas", in lines 43 and 44, page 18 of the printed bill, are **added**.

To Committee on Oil Industries.

S. B. 462. E. J. GATES.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2348.

Amends Sec. 862 of the Municipal Corporation Act of 1883, relating to the powers of boards of trustees in cities of the sixth class. The word "tunnels", in line 6, page 2 of the printed bill, is **added**. The words "or tunnel", in line 12, in line 13, in line 14, and in line 15,

on page 2 of the printed bill, are **added** to subdivision fourth a of this section.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

S. B. 463. HANDY.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1295d.

Amends Sec. 151½ of the Fish and Game District Act of 1917. The present section provides that Fish and Game District 21½ shall consist of and include that portion of Mendocino County lying west of the summit of the divide between the Eel river and the Russian river and the Pacific ocean not included in Fish and Game District 7. This amendment **changes** the provisions of the present section by enumerating and describing by metes and bounds the several townships which are included in Fish and Game District 21½.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 464. HANDY.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 1770a

Adds Sec. 19x42 to the Juvenile Court Act of 1915, said section relating to the salaries of probation officers in counties of the forty-second class (Colusa County).

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

S. B. 465. INMAN.

Amends Sec. 1609 of the Pol. Code, relating to the employment of principals and teachers in the public schools.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 466. INMAN.

Amends Sec. 4292a of the Pol. Code, relating to deposits of money by county and township officers. The words "except county clerks", in line 5, page 1 of the printed bill, are **added** to this section by this amendment.

To Committee on County Government.

S. B. 467. INMAN.

Appropriates \$70,000 for the creation of a revolving fund for the Department of Public Works in lieu of that created by chapter 419, of the Statutes of 1917.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

S. B. 468. INMAN.

Amends Sec. 1168 of the Penal Code, relating to terms of imprisonment. The words "nine months of the", in line 1, page 2 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "the minimum".

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 469. INMAN.

Appropriates \$20,000 to provide and maintain a permanent revolving fund for the Department of Public Works in lieu of that created by Sec. 5, chapter 338 of the Statutes of 1909.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

S. B. 470. SHARKEY.

Appropriates a blank sum for the purchase of additional lands for the enlargement of Mount Diablo Park, and for the development thereof.

To Committee on Finance.

S. B. 471. SHARKEY.

Amends Sec. 2289 of the Political Code, relating to minor orphans, half orphans and abandoned children. The words "provided further, that no child born without the state, who is brought into or kept within the state by any alien, in violation of any law of the United States or of this state, shall be eligible to receive state aid regardless of the length of time such child may have been within the state", in lines 27 to 31, both inclusive, page 1 of the printed bill, are **added** to the end of this section by this amendment.

To Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

S. B. 472. SHARKEY.

Appropriates \$3,000 to be used by the Board of Control during the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years for the purpose of transporting certain dependent children to proper homes without the State when such homes are offered.

To Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

S. B. 473. SHARKEY.

New General Law. Makes it a misdemeanor for any person or persons, firm, corporation, company or association to store, manufacture, sell or discharge any fireworks, fire crackers, torpedoes, etc., that create noise or fire within any city. **Provides** that public display of fireworks may be given with the joint, written consent and under the supervision of the fire chief and chief of police. **Provides**, that fireworks or firecrackers imported from foreign countries for transshipment may be temporarily stored while in transit in such bonded warehouses as may be designated by the fire chief. **Provides** penalties for violations. **Repeals** all acts in conflict.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 474. SHARKEY.

Adds Sec. 258 to the Penal Code, makes it a misdemeanor for any person to wilfully or deliberately, and with intent to secure the publication thereof, furnish any publisher or a newspaper, or other printed publication, false information concerning any person or persons, which information by reason of its false character, shall be libelous or actionable civilly or criminally. **Provides** penalties.

S. B. 475. SHARKEY.

Appropriates \$400,000 to be available July 1, 1923, for the accomplishment of the work of improving the navigation of the Sacramento, San Joaquin and Feather rivers of this State by controlling the floods, removing the debris and continuing the improvement of the Sacramento River, in accordance with the plans of the California Debris Commission, contained in the report of said commission submitted August 10, 1910, and duly approved by the United States Government. **Provides** that this appropriation shall be paid to the Treasurer of the United States whenever a like sum shall be appropriated by the Congress of the United States, conditional on the payment of an equal amount by the State of California for the prosecution of said work, pursuant to the act of Congress, approved March 1, 1917, referred to in the title of this bill. **Provides** that the money so appropriated, when paid to the Treasurer of the United States, shall be expended under the direction of the California Debris Commission in such manner as it may require and approve.

To Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

S. B. 476. SHARKEY.

Appropriates \$500,000 to be available July 1, 1924, for the same purposes as are outlined in Senate bill 475. (See digest of Senate bill 475.)

To Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

S. B. 477. SHARKEY.

Amends Secs. 320, 321, 322 and 323, and adds Sec. 325a to the Penal Code, relating to lotteries.

The words "punishable by a fine of not less than three hundred fifty dollars, nor more than one thousand dollars or by imprisonment in the county jail for not less than six months, nor more than one year or by both such fine and imprisonment", are **added** to each of the present sections of the Penal Code numbered respectively 320, 321, 322, and 323.

Sec. 325a which is **added** to the Penal Code by this bill provides that every person who has in his possession any ticket, chance, share or interest, or any paper certificate or instrument purporting or undertaking to be or to represent any ticket, chance, share or interest, in, or depending upon, the event of any lottery shall be guilty of a **misdemeanor**.

To Committee on Public Morals.

S. B. 478. DENNETT.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 4340.

Amends the Water Commission Act of 1913.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Irrigation.

S. B. 479. DENNETT.

New General Law. Purports to authorize districts organized or existing under the California Irrigation District Act to refund outstanding indebtedness and to issue bonds therefor.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Irrigation.

S. B. 480. DENNETT.

New General Law. Provides that in counties of the sixteenth class (Stanislaus) there shall be as many official reporters as there are departments of the superior courts, and that such official reporters shall serve as official reporters of the justices courts of the county.

To Committee on County Government.

S. B. 481. DENNETT.

Amends Sec. 4245 of the Pol. Code. Stanislaus County Government Act.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

S. B. 482. DENNETT.

Deer. Gen. L. and Sup. No. 2887b.

Amends Secs. 20, 21, 29, 32, 45 and 52 of the Public Utility District Act of 1915. In Sec. 20 all the words and provisions beginning with the words "if any person", in lines 3 and 4, and ending with the word "act", in line 10, page 2 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "if a person elected fails to qualify, the office shall be filled as if there was a vacancy in such office".

All the words and provisions of Sec. 21 are **substituted** for the words "a director at large shall be a resident and qualified elector of the public utility district, but not necessarily of the municipality or other territorial unit, from which he is nominated".

In Sec. 29 the word "resolution", in line 25, in line 27 and in line 28, page 2 of the printed bill, is, in each instance, **substituted** for the word "ordinance".

Sec. 32 is **amended** as follows: The words "until the expiration of at least thirty days after its passage", in lines 45 and 46, page 2 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "within less than thirty days after its final passage". The fifth and sixth paragraphs of the present section, requiring that no action **providing** for any specific

improvement or appropriation or expenditure of any of the district funds shall be taken except by ordinance, and **providing** that all ordinances shall be subject to the referendum, are **eliminated** from this section by this amendment. The maximum compensation of each member of the board of directors is increased by this amendment, from \$500 per year to \$3,600 per year.

Sec. 45 is **amended** as follows: The words "if the funds of the district are inadequate for the maintenance and operation of the utilities owned and operated by it, and can not be provided", in lines 15, 16 and 17, page 3 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "or if funds are needed to carry out the objects and purposes of the district, which can not be provided". The word "final" is **eliminated** by this amendment before the word "passage", in line 25, page 3 of the printed bill. The word "resolution," in line 44, and in line 51, page 3 of the printed bill is, in each instance, **substituted** for the word "ordinance". The words "of each year" are **eliminated** after the word "February", in line 47, page 3 of the printed bill. The words "provided that not more than one-half of one per centum of the amount collected shall be so charged or deducted by any county" are **eliminated** after the word "fund", in line 46, page 4 of the printed bill.

The word "final" is **eliminated** from Sec. 52 before the word "passage", in line 34, page 5 of the printed bill. The title of this bill fails to state the date or title of the act which is amended. The date is also **omitted** in Sec. 1 of this bill.

To Committee on Public Utilities.

S. B. 483. DENNETT.

New General Law. Requires all public service corporations to render reports to the Railroad Commission of the expenditures from any surplus or contingent fund. Limits the purposes for which such fund can be used.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Public Utilities.

S. B. 484. DENNETT.

New General Law. This is a companion bill to A. B. 1218. For digest see said Assembly bill.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 485. DENNETT.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 4340.

Amends Sec. 23 of, and adds Secs. 23a and 23b to the Water Commission Act of 1913, relating to the payment of fees into the State Treasury, and providing for exemption from fees. **This is a companion bill to A. B. 1207. For digest see said Assembly bill.**

To Committee on Irrigation.

S. B. 486. DENNETT.

New General Law. Provides that in any irrigation district organized or existing under the California Irrigation District Act it shall be the duty of the board of directors of such district, upon a proper petition signed by the requisite number of holders of title to lands in said district to make an order that no person shall be entitled to vote at an election held in said district unless the said person holds title, or evidence of title to lands in said district, and that each qualified voter shall be entitled to cast one vote in each precinct in which he is such holder of title for each one hundred dollars worth, or fraction thereof, of land in such precinct owned by him. Provides that this act shall not apply to any district when the population thereof reaches, according to the last United States census, five thousand.

To Committee on Irrigation.

S. B. 487. DENNETT.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 4340.

Adds Sec. 37f to the Water Commission Act of 1913. Provides that the State Water Commission shall fix the compensation to be paid water masters appointed under the provisions of this act, and that the scale of compensation shall depend upon the sound discretion of the members of the said commission. Provides certain rules for fixing the compensation and traveling expenses of such water masters when the water district in which they are employed lies in more than one county. Requires that the said Water Commission shall prepare a budget of the amount of money estimated to be necessary to pay the expenses of each water district for the then current year, and prescribes certain rules to govern the details of such budget.

To Committee on Irrigation.

S. B. 488. OSBORNE.

Amends Secs. 2322 to 2322j, both inclusive, of the Pol. Code, relating to agriculture.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Agriculture and Live Stock.

S. B. 489. M. B. JOHNSON.

Repeals Sec. 1617½ of the Pol. Code, and adds a new section of the same number thereto.

The new section authorizes boards of education or the boards of trustees of any school district or any high school district in the State to sell or lease for a term not exceeding ninety-nine years, without a vote of the electors of such district, any real property belonging to such district or districts, upon which no public school is being maintained. Prescribes rules to govern such leases or sales. Purports to validate, approve, confirm and ratify all sales or leases of real property by the governing boards of such school district or districts which have heretofore been made in reliance upon the provisions of the present section of the Pol. Code numbered 1617½.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 490. M. B. JOHNSON.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 806a.

Amends the act of 1921, relating to the joint exercise of powers by counties and municipalities.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

S. B. 491. M. B. JOHNSON.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1458f.

Amends Sec. 7 of the Joint Highway District Act of 1917.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

S. B. 492. M. B. JOHNSON.

Amends Sec. 472 of the Pol. Code. Provides that the Attorney General may appoint a **blank number** of assistants, chief deputies and additional deputies. Under the provisions of the present section the Attorney General may appoint one assistant, one chief deputy and nine additional deputies.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

S. B. 493. M. B. JOHNSON.

Amends Sec. 475 of the Pol. Code. Provides that the Attorney General may appoint a **blank number** of clerks, phonographic reporters, service agents, and stenographers for his office. Under the provisions of the present section the Attorney General may appoint two clerks, one phonographic reporter, one service agent and seven stenographers for his office.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

S. B. 494. HURLEY.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 3932a.

Amends Sec. 11 of the Street Improvement Bond Act of 1915. The words "such lien shall be subordinated to all special assessment liens previously imposed upon the same property but it shall have priority over all special assessment liens which may thereafter be created against the said property", in lines 3 to 6, both inclusive, page 2 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "such lien shall be prior and superior to all other liens except the lien for other State, county and municipal taxes and public improvement assessments".

Subdivisions **b** and **c** of the present section, relating to the bringing of suits to collect unpaid assessments, are **eliminated** by this amendment.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

S. B. 495. CREIGHTON.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 4340.

Adds Secs. 1a and 1b to the Water Commission Act of 1913. Sec. 1a **provides** that the State Water Commission shall have authority to grant, or to refuse to grant a permit to appropriate water and to cancel any application for such permit, after a hearing. **Provides** that no hearing shall be necessary in order to issue a permit upon an unprotested application. **Provides** that the commission may take final action upon any application without further hearing, upon the failure of any party in interest to appear at a hearing or show good cause within five days after the date set for such hearing. **Provides** for the giving of notice of such hearing.

Sec. 1b **provides** for an appeal to the superior court for a review of the decision of the State Water Commission by any person, firm, association or corporation interested in any application for a permit to appropriate water or any party protestant, **within thirty days** after the decision of the State Water Commission upon any application.

To Committee on Irrigation.

S. B. 496. CREIGHTON.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 4340.

Adds Secs. 1c and 1d to the Water Commission Act of 1913. Sec. 1c **provides** that no appropriation of water may be perfected in this state unless the person, firm, association, or corporation seeking to appropriate water shall have filed in the office of the State Water Commission an application for a permit to appropriate water, and shall have been issued a permit by said commission.

Sec. 1d requires that all applicants for permit to appropriate water must furnish to the State Water Commission such matter and information as is prescribed by this act, and in the form required by such commission, together with such maps, drawings and other data as may be required by the commission. **Requires** that the intended use must be beneficial and that there must be unappropriated water available to supply the applicant.

To Committee on Irrigation.

S. B. 497. INGRAM.

Amends Sec. 384 of the Penal Code, relating to fires. **Adds** subdivision 4c to this section, which **provides** that it shall be unlawful during the period between May 15 and October 31 of each year to operate donkey or stationary engines in any woods operation located in any forest or brush land without first clearing away all inflammable material, from an area of at least one hundred feet in radius about such engine, or without providing all such engines with suitable fire fighting apparatus. **Provides** penalties for violation.

To Committee on Conservation.

S. B. 498. INGRAM.

Deer, Gen. L. No. 1216.

Amends Sec. 16 of the Forest Fire Prevention Act of 1905. The words "between May 15th and October 31st", in lines 12 and 13, page 1 of the printed bill, are substituted for the words "during what is locally known as the dry season, this to be considered as the period between May 15th and the first soaking rains of autumn or winter". The words "slash, or grass, brush", in line 14, page 1 of the printed bill, are added. The words "or any other inflammable material" in line 15, page 1 of the printed bill, are added. The word "wood" is eliminated after the word "blast" in line 16, page 1 of the printed bill. The words "fallows, grass", in line 17, page 1 of the printed bill, are added. The words "unless done under a written permit from the State Forester or his duly authorized agent and in strict accordance with all terms of the permit", in lines 18 to 21, both inclusive, page 1 of the printed bill, are substituted for the words "without written permission of and under the direction and supervision of a fire warden in that district". The words "nor in cases where back fires are set in good faith to stop an existing fire" are eliminated after the word "redwoods", in line 1, page 2 of the printed bill. The last two words in line 1, all of lines 2 to 6, inclusive, and the first five words in line 7, page 2 of the printed bill, are added. The maximum penalties for violations of this act are changed by this amendment from a fine of \$1,000 and imprisonment for one year to a fine of \$500 and imprisonment for not more than six months.

To Committee on Conservation.

S. B. 499. INGRAM.

Amends Sec. 1577 of the Pol. Code, relating to the formation of and changing the boundaries of school districts. All the words in the provisions beginning with the words "provided, further," in line 29, and ending with the words "school district" in line 35, page 2 of the printed bill, are added by this amendment.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 500. ARBUCKLE.

Amends Sec. 4131 of the Pol. Code, relating to the duties of county recorders.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

S. B. 501. LEWIS.

New General Law. The title states that the bill **requires** qualified electors to vote at elections, **requires** the registration of electors, **enables** sick or absent electors to cast their ballots at elections and **prescribes** penalties for violations.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Elections.

S. B. 502. LEWIS.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2664.

Amends Sec. 5 of the Pharmacy Act of 1905.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

S. B. 503. LYON.

Amends Secs. 1240 and 1241 of the C. C. P., relating to proceedings in eminent domain.

Sec. 1240 is **amended** as follows: The words "by the state or political subdivision, or public corporation", in lines 3 and 4, in line 16, and in lines 24 and 25, page 2 of the printed bill, are in each instance **substituted** for the words "by a county, city and county, incorporated city or town, irrigation or municipal water district". All of lines 6 to 12, and the first five words in line 13, page 2 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "for any other public purpose shall be deemed more necessary uses than the public use to which such property has already been appropriated". The words "by such person, firm or private corporation", in line 19, page 2 of the printed bill, are **added**. This amendment changes the present law by permitting the taking by the state, or a political subdivision, or public corporation, of property already appropriated to a public use or purpose for another public use or purpose which is consistent with the furnishing by such state or political subdivision to the consumers or patrons entitled thereto, of the substantial equivalent of the service theretofore furnished by means of such property.

The provisions eliminated **provide** that certain public uses shall be deemed more necessary uses than other enumerated public uses and also **provide** that private property appropriated to the use of any county, city and county, incorporated city or town, or municipal water district may not be taken by any other county, city or county, incorporated city or town, or municipal district, while such property is appropriated and used for the public purposes for which it has been appropriated.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 504. LYON.

New General Law. Provides that every unregistered bovine in the state which is found by any veterinarian to be afflicted with tuberculosis shall be branded with the letter "T". **Requires** that all veterinarians immediately report to the Director of Agriculture upon discovering that any unregistered bovine in this state is afflicted with tuberculosis. **Makes** it a misdemeanor for any owner of registered or unregistered bovines in this state to refuse to permit the branding of unregistered bovines so afflicted with tuberculosis or to endeavor to prevent the report to the Director of Agriculture of tuberculous registered animals.

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

S. B. 505. LYON.

Adds Sec. 4041k to the Pol. Code, relating to the powers of boards of supervisors with reference to justices' courts.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

S. B. 506. SAMPLE.

Amends Sec. 626 of the Penal Code. The effect of the amendment is to permit the killing of rabbits at any time in fish and game district 4¾.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 507. SAMPLE.

Amends Sec. 626m of the Penal Code. The words "one-half hour after" are **eliminated** before the word "sunset" in line 3, page 1 of the printed bill. The words "four and three-quarters" in line 11, page 1 of the printed bill, are **added**.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 508. SAMPLE.

Amends Sec. 626g of the Penal Code. Changes the provisions of the present section by making it a misdemeanor to hunt, pursue, kill or destroy, or have in possession any species of tree squirrel at any time before September 1, 1925.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 509. EDEN.

Appropriates \$125,000 to be used by the State Highway Commission for the construction of the state highway between San Bernardino and Yuma.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

S. B. 510. SAMPLE.

New General Law. The title states that the bill **creates** a cadet reserve in this state.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Military Affairs.

S. B. 511. SAMPLE.

Amends Sec. 626d of the Penal Code. All the words beginning with the word "provided" in line 13, and ending with the word "misdemeanor", in line 18, page 1 of the printed bill, are **added**. The

words "every person", in line 19, page 1 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "provided, also, that any person". The last four words in line 29, and all of lines 30 to 33, both inclusive, page 1 of the printed bill, are **added**.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 512. A. B. JOHNSON.

New General Law. The title states that the bill **requires** the making of affidavits and the keeping of records to show the location and ownership of ground from which gold and silver bearing mineral products are derived, and the names and addresses of purchasers, consignors and consignees of such products and the dates of deliveries thereof. **Provides** penalties for violations.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Mines and Mining.

S. B. 513. LYON.

New General Law. **Provides** that the board of health or any other board, tribunal, or constituted authority having jurisdiction, shall have power and it shall be their duty to inspect hotels, boarding houses, apartment houses and restaurants and any other places where food is served in this state.

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

S. B. 514. INGRAM.

Amends Sec. 160 of the C. C. P., relating to superior court judges. The words "by reason of sickness, absence, disability or other causes", are **eliminated** after the word "if", in line 3, page 1 of the printed bill. The words "or a department thereof", in lines 3 and 4, page 1 of the printed bill, are **added**. The words "or by a superior judge requested by him or them to hold such court" are **eliminated** by this amendment after the word "thereof", in line 5, page 1 of the printed bill. The words "and the sum of blank dollars a day", in lines 11 and 12, page 1 of the printed bill, are **added**.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 515. DR. GATES.

Adds Sec. 637 to the Penal Code. **Makes** it a misdemeanor for any person to take, catch or kill any species of game fish in the waters of this state, who does not use such fish for food. **Provides** penalties for violations.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 516. ARBUCKLE.

Appropriates \$95,000 for the construction and equipment of a training school building for the State Teachers College at Santa Barbara.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 517. BOGGS.

Deer, Gen. L. Sup. No. 1275f.

Amends Sec. 5 of the Fruit and Vegetable Standardization Act of 1921. The last two words in line 19 and all of lines 20 to 28, both inclusive, are added to the end of this section by this amendment, and relate to the packing and shipping of grapes.

Note. The approval date of the act amended, as shown in the printed bill, is wrong and should be amended to read "June 3, 1921."

To Committee on Agriculture and Live Stock.

S. B. 518. McDONALD.

New General Law. Creates a board to be known as "The Peninsula Water Front Board" and prescribes its powers and duties. **Authorizes** said board to commence operations incident to the cutting down of high ground and the filling in of low ground in a certain district of land located partly in the city and county of San Francisco and partly in the county of San Mateo. **Appropriates** \$25,000 for the aforesaid purposes.

To Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

S. B. 519. INMAN.

New General Law. The title states that the bill **authorizes** the State Board of Control to purchase warrants of reclamation districts and drainage districts of this State, issued in payment for the expense of construction and work on such reclamation and drainage districts. **Makes** an appropriation for such purpose and **provides** for reimbursement to the State of such appropriation.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

S. B. 520. LEWIS.

Amends Secs. 3664a to 3664d, both inclusive, of the Pol. Code, relating to the taxation of public service corporations, banks and insurance companies.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

S. B. 521. LEWIS.

New General Law. The title states that the bill **creates** a narcotic director with power to handle the narcotic situation. **Provides** that said narcotic director shall be a licentiate pharmacist of this State.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Public Morals.

S. B. 522. OSBORNE.

Amends Sec. 647 of the Civil Code. The words "the investment certificates of any building or loan association duly licensed to transact business in the State of California", in lines 7, 8 and 9, page 1 of the printed bill, are **added** by this amendment.

To Committee on Building and Loan Associations.

S. B. 523. MURPHY.

New General Law. **Makes** it unlawful for any member of the Legislature or any paid official or employee of the State or of any political subdivision thereof, or of any institution supported wholly or partially by the State, to promote, or oppose for a valuable consideration, any law, constitutional amendment, or other question submitted, or to be submitted, to the electors of the State under the provisions of the constitution. **Defines** the term "valuable consideration". **Provides** heavy penalties for violations.

To Committee on Elections.

S. B. 524. JONES.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 2143c.

Amends Sec. 27 of the Workmen's Compensation Act of 1917. Subdivision e is **added** to this section and **provides** that where a release or compromise is made for an amount less than an employee or his dependents may be entitled to under this act, that no limitation of time provided by this act shall run against such employee or his dependents, unless said release, compromise or agreement shall be approved by the commission.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 525. DENNETT.

New General Law. **Provides** that no application to appropriate water for power purposes shall be approved by the Water Commission when it is apparent that the applicant proposes to return the water to the stream at a point below which it can reasonably be diverted for irrigation or domestic purposes.

To Committee on Irrigation.

S. B. 526. SWING.

Amends Sec. 4238 of the Pol. Code. San Bernardino County Government Act.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

S. B. 527. SWING.

Adds Sec. 626v to the Penal Code. Makes it a misdemeanor for any person in Fish and Game District 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ to hunt male mountain sheep between October 22 and October 14, inclusive, of the following year. Makes it a misdemeanor to kill more than one male mountain sheep during any one year in Fish and Game District 4 $\frac{1}{2}$. Requires that every person who hunts mountain sheep must first procure a license to do so, and prescribes rules for the granting and issuing of such licenses. Provides penalties for violations, and provides for the disposition of all moneys collected from the sale of licenses and from any fines or forfeitures collected for the violation of any of the provision of this act.

Repeals Sec. 626e of the Penal Code.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 528. SWING (by request).

New General Law. Purports to make the California law uniform with the law of other states relating to children born out of wedlock.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 529. SWING (by request).

New General Law. Purports to make the California law uniform with the law of other states relating to declaratory judgments and decrees.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 530. SWING (by request).

New General Law. Purports to make the California law uniform with the law of other states with reference to liability for participation in breaches of fiduciary obligations.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 531. HURLEY.

Amends Sec. 653c of the Penal Code, relating to hours of labor. The words "nor more than forty-eight hours in any calendar week", in lines 8 and 9, page 1 of the printed bill, are **added**.

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

S. B. 532. SWING (by request).

New General Law. Purports to make the California law uniform with the law of other states with reference to aeronautics, and prescribes rules and regulations for the operation of aircraft.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

S. B. 533. ARBUCKLE.

Appropriates \$170,000 for the construction and equipment of a main building for the State Teachers College at Santa Barbara.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 534. CHAMBERLIN.

New General Law. Provides that private corporations may issue shares of stock without any nominal or par value by stating in their articles of incorporation the number of shares with a nominal or par value, if any, the number of shares without a nominal or par value that may be issued by the corporation and the amount of stated capital with which the corporation will begin business, which amount shall in no event be less than \$500; **provides** that such recitals in the articles of incorporation shall be in lieu of any recitals now required by the law under which the corporation shall have been formed, as to the maximum amount of the capital stock or the number of shares into which the same shall be divided. **Provides**, subject to certain restrictions, that each share of such stock with no nominal or par value shall be equal to every other share of such stock. **Requires** that every certificate for such shares without nominal or par value shall state plainly upon its face the number of such shares which it represents and shall not express any nominal or par value of such shares. **Provides** that corporations issuing stock without nominal or par value may from time to time sell such shares for such consideration as may be prescribed in the articles of incorporation, or for such consideration as shall be the fair market values of such shares, and provides that, in the absence of fraud in the transaction the judgment of the board of directors as to such fair value shall be conclusive. **Provides** that all shares issued as permitted by this act shall be deemed fully paid, and the holder of such shares shall not be liable to the corporation in respect thereto. **Provides** that no corporation authorized to issue shares with no nominal or par

value shall begin business until the amount of capital with which it will begin business, as stated in its articles of incorporation, shall have been fully paid in. Makes the directors of any corporation assenting to the creation of any debt in violation of the provisions of this act jointly and severally liable for the debts of such corporation so incurred, and **provides**, in case such a liability is incurred, that any director who shall pay any debt of the corporation shall be subrogated to all rights of a creditor in respect thereto against the corporation, and shall be entitled to contribution from all other directors of the corporation similarly liable.

Prohibits any corporation authorized to issue shares with no nominal or par value from declaring or paying any dividend which shall reduce the amount of its stated capital. **Provides** that for the purpose of calculating the rate of taxation, the shares of stock of such corporation having no nominal or par value shall be of the par value of \$100 per share. **Provides** that there shall be no distinction as to voting power or as to the statutory or constitutional liability of the holders thereof to the creditors of the corporation between the stock of a corporation with nominal or par value and stock without nominal or par value.

Provides that any private corporation now existing may amend its articles of incorporation for the purpose of adopting the provisions of this statute.

To Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 535. CHAMBERLIN.

Adds Sec. 580a to the C. C. P. **Provides** that in all actions brought against insurance companies to recover upon policies of insurance, where the plaintiff obtains a judgment against such insurance company, the trial court, upon entering such judgment, shall add to such judgment a sum equal to twenty-five per cent of the amount of such judgment.

Provides that an insurance company may avoid the payment of this additional twenty-five per cent by offering in writing to pay to the plaintiff any sum of money in settlement of the claims sued upon, accompanying such offer with a deposit of such sum with the clerk of the court, in which case, if the plaintiff fails to recover a sum greater than the offer and the deposit so made, the court shall not add the said twenty-five per cent of the judgment to such judgment.

To Committee on Insurance.

S. B. 536. CHAMBERLIN. (By request.)

Amends Sec. 1612 of the Pol. Code, relating to the letting of contracts by boards of school trustees and city boards of education. Most of the provisions of the present section are retained, but much new matter is added, outlining in great detail the procedure which the board shall follow in advertising for bids for the erection, construction, alteration or improvement of any school structure, to the awarding of such contract or contracts to the successful bidder upon the

execution and deliverance by such successful bidder to the board of bonds insuring the prompt and faithful execution of such contracts, and providing for the forfeiture of such bonds in certain cases.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 537. CHAMBERLIN.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 2886.

Amends Secs. 2 and 50a of the Public Utilities Act of 1915. There is no section numbered 50a of the Public Utilities Act of 1915.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Public Utilities.

S. B. 538. CHAMBERLIN.

Adds Sec. 467a to the Civil Code. Provides that the board of directors of any railroad corporation may, at any time after the original location and construction of its railroad, construct an additional main line track adjacent to such located and operated line in order to provide better facilities for the public service.

To Committee on Public Utilities.

S. B. 539. CHAMBERLIN.

Amends Sec. 296 of the Civil Code, relating to the filing of articles of incorporation by the Secretary of State. The word "the", in line 17, page 1 of the printed bill, is **substituted** for the word "its". The words "or any foreign corporation which has qualified to do business in this state", in lines 23 and 24, page 1 of the printed bill, are added. The word "other", in line 25, page 1 of the printed bill, is added.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 540. CHAMBERLIN.

Amends Sec. 468 of the Civil Code, relating to the construction and operation of railroads. The words "the railroad commission of California has the power", in lines 2 and 3, page 2 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "the railroad commissioners have the power". All of lines 6 to 11, both inclusive, page 2 of the printed bill, are **added** to the end of this section by this amendment and provide that the Railroad Commission may authorize the discontinuance of any railroad or part of a railroad system, or branch line, in this State without forfeiture of the right to operate the same.

To Committee on Public Utilities.

S. B. 541. CHAMBERLIN.

New General Law. Creates the office of local historian under the supervision and control of the California Historical Survey Commission and defines his powers and duties. **Provides** that one local

historian shall be appointed for each city, town, or village except that in cities of over a million inhabitants there shall be a committee of three local historians.

Provides that such historian shall serve without compensation unless the city, town or village for which he is appointed shall otherwise provide.

Under the provisions of chapter 389 of the Statutes of 1921, the California Historical Survey Commission will cease to exist after June 30, 1923, and the powers and duties of the same will, by the provisions of that act, vest in the board of regents of the University of California.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 542. CARR.

New General Law. Declares that all buildings and places established for purposes of gambling or games of chance, or for lotteries, are public nuisances, and provides that such nuisances shall be enjoined, abated and prevented and outlines the procedure which shall govern the abatement of such nuisance. **Provides** penalties for violations or disobedience of any injunction or order directed against such public nuisance, and **provides** for the confiscation of any property or buildings conducted for such gambling purposes in violation of the abatement proceedings provided for in this act.

To Committee on Public Morals.

S. B. 543. SHARKEY.

Amends Sec. 4290 of the Pol. Code. The words "their deputies and assistants" are eliminated after the words "ex officio officers", in line 6, page 1 of the printed bill. The words "and all deputies employed shall be paid by their principals out of the salaries provided in this title unless in this title otherwise provided", are **eliminated** before the words "provided and except", in line 7, page 1 of the printed bill. The words "board of examiners", in line 46, page 2 of the printed bill, **should be changed** to the words "board of control", in order to conform to the general purpose of this amendment.

The **primary purpose** of this amendment is to reconcile this section with Sec. 9 of article XI of the constitution, as construed by the Supreme Court in the case of "Forward et al. vs. San Diego", 64 Cal. Dec. 362, relating to the increase in the salary of deputies to county officers, during their term of office.

To Committee on County Government.

S. B. 544. CREIGHTON.

New General Law. Regulates the sale and provides a method for the issuance of hunting and fishing licenses. **Provides** rules governing the form of such hunting licenses. **Provides** penalties for false statements made for the purpose of obtaining a license, and for violating any of the provisions of this act. **Provides** for the disposition

of moneys collected from the sale of licenses and from fines and forfeitures imposed and collected under this act.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 545. CARR.

Deer. Gen. L. and Sup. No. 2331b.

Amends Sec. 20 of the Motor Vehicle Act of 1915. The last four words in line 15 and all of lines 16 to 23, both inclusive, page 1 of the printed bill are **added** to subdivision (n) of this section and require motor vehicles to be equipped with mechanical or electrical devices which will serve the same purpose as arm signals after dark. The last five words in line 27, and all of lines 28 to 31, both inclusive, page 1 of the printed bill are **substituted** for the last paragraph of subdivision (n) of the present section.

To Committee on Motor Vehicles.

S. B. 546. ARBUCKLE.

Appropriates \$45,500 for improvements for the State Teachers College at Santa Barbara.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 547. HART.

New General Law. Makes it a misdemeanor for any person to solicit for guests for himself or for any hotel, inn, boarding or lodging or apartment house, on boats or trains in this State.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 548. DR. GATES.

Amends Sec. 637 of the Penal Code. The last two words in line 21, all of lines 23 to 32, both inclusive, and the first three words in line 33, page 2 of the printed bill are **added** and provide that this section shall not apply to certain species of fish in certain enumerated cases.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 549. OSBORNE.

New General Law. **Provides** that on and after July 1, 1923, the duties and functions of the California Historical Survey Commission shall be vested in an organization created by this act and known as the "California State Historical Association"; **outlines** the duties and policies of this historical association thus created. **Provides** means for the financing of and rules for the management and administration of the said Historical Association. **Appropriates** \$15,000 for the support of said Historical Association during the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years.

The purpose of this act is to perpetuate the work and functions of the State Historical Survey Commission, which Commission will cease

to exist on July 1, 1923, by the operation of law. See Stats. 1921, p. 588.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 550. ARBUCKLE.

Appropriates \$3,000 for the purchase of additional land for the State Teachers College at Santa Barbara.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 551. DENNETT.

New General Law. Provides that money belonging to any county or municipality or irrigation district within this State may be deposited with any licensed building and loan association organized or existing under the laws of this State. **Provides** that all deposits of such money shall be made and security therefor given subject to the provisions of the act of March 23, 1907, providing for and regulating the deposit of county and municipal moneys in banks and banking corporations.

To Committee on Building and Loan Associations.

S. B. 552. OSBORNE.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 4100.

Amends the act of 1921, requiring the installation of certain sanitary facilities in the operating rooms of theaters and moving picture houses.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

S. B. 553. SLATER.

Amends Sec. 1142a of the Pol. Code, relating to the digest of election laws. The sentence beginning with the word "included", in line 21, and ending with the word "code", in line 24, page 1 of the printed bill, is added to the end of this section by this amendment. The word "by"; in line 19, page 1 of the printed bill has probably been **substituted** by clerical error for the word "to".

To Committee on Elections.

S. B. 554. SLATER.

Adds Sec. 1257a to the Pol. Code. Provides that the election officers shall not so divide the work of counting election ballots as to attempt at the same time more than one count of the persons or propositions voted for on said ballot. **Provides** that election officers shall tally the votes only in the manner provided in Sec. 1258 of the Pol. Code and only in the tally books provided for that purpose. **Provides** that at all times during the reading or calling of ballots at least one election officer besides the officer reading or calling such ballot shall sit beside such officer so reading the ballots and help keep a check on any

possible illegal vote or error or omission. **Requires** that the provisions of this section and of Sec. 1252 of the Pol. Code must be furnished to each election officer and **posted** in a conspicuous place on the booth or place where such election precinct is located.

To Committee on Elections.

S. B. 555. CREIGHTON.

Amends Secs. 1725 and 1733a of the Pol. Code, relating to high school districts.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 556. INMAN.

Amends Secs. 4214, 4215, 4216, 4219 and 4220 of the Pol. Code, relating to the duties of the county surveyor.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

S. B. 557. GODSIL.

Appropriates a blank amount to be used by the State Labor Commissioner for the clerical and commercial department of the State Board of Labor Statistics, in the city and county of San Francisco.

To Committee on Finance.

S. B. 558. GODSIL.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1295d.

Adds Sec. 21½ to the Fish and Game District Act of 1917. Creates Fish and Game District No. 3½, consisting of the counties of Modoc, Lassen, Shasta, Trinity, Plumas and Sierra. **Note** that act of 1917 already contains a section numbered 21½

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 559. McDONALD.

Appropriates \$250,000 for the construction, maintenance and operation of an electric street railway on the Embarcadero in San Francisco.

To Committee on Finance.

S. B. 560. McDONALD.

Amends Sec. 791 of the Pol. Code. Increases the maximum number of notaries public which the Governor may appoint and commission in counties of the second class (San Francisco) from **one hundred and thirty to one hundred and seventy-five.**

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 561. McDONALD.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1696e.

Repeals the act of 1921 ("The Wright Act"), providing for the enforcement of the eighteenth amendment of the constitution of the United States.

To Committee on Public Morals.

S. B. 562. BURNETT.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1672m.

Amends the Fire Insurance Act of 1917. Requires the establishment and maintenance by fire insurance corporations of guaranty funds and special reserve funds and limits the liability of stockholders of such corporations.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Insurance.

S. B. 563. BURNETT.

Amends Sec. 634 of the Pol. Code, relating to insurance.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Insurance.

S. B. 564. BURNETT.

Amends Sec. 594a of the Pol. Code, relating to deposits of securities by foreign insurance companies.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Insurance.

S. B. 565. BURNETT.

Amends Sec. 453c of the Civil Code, relating to insurance.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Insurance.

S. B. 566. BURNETT.

Amends Secs. 453s to 453z, both inclusive, of the Civil Code, relating to insurance.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Insurance.

S. B. 567. BURNETT.

Amends Sec. 453e of the Civil Code, relating to insurance.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Insurance.

S. B. 568. BURNETT.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 2143c.

Amends the Workmen's Compensation Act of 1917.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Insurance.

S. B. 569. BURNETT.

Amends Sec. 622 of the Penal Code, relating to insurance.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Insurance.

S. B. 570. ARBUCKLE. (By request.)

Adds Sec. 407a to the Penal Code. Makes it a misdemeanor for any person or persons, singly or by conspiring together, to interfere, or attempt to interfere, by any means whatsoever, with any person in the exercise of his or her lawful right to work, or right to enter upon or pursue any lawful employment. **Makes** it a misdemeanor for any person or persons, singly or conspiring together, to picket or patrol any place of business or occupation of any person, firm or corporation engaged in any lawful business or occupation for the purpose of inducing or influencing others not to trade with, buy from, sell to, work for, or have business dealings with such person, firm or corporation. **Provides** penalties for violation.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 571. CHAMBERLIN.

Appropriates \$80,000 to pay the claim of F. H. Conn against the State.

To Committee on Finance.

S. B. 572. BREED.

Appropriates \$120,000 for the construction of new stacks for the Doe library at the University of California.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 573. BREED.

Appropriates \$300,000 for the purchase of land for the College of Agriculture at Berkeley.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 574. BREED.

Appropriates \$120,000 for the construction and equipment of buildings for the California School for the Blind at Berkeley.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 575. BREED.

Appropriates \$50,000 for the construction and equipment of a hospital building for the California School for the Deaf and the Blind at Berkeley.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 576. BREED.

Appropriates \$40,250 for improvements at the California School for the Deaf and the Blind at Berkeley.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 577. BREED.

New General Law. This is a companion bill to A. B. 662. For digest, see said Assembly bill.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 578. BREED.

Appropriates \$30,000 for the construction and equipment of a kindergarten and entering building for the California School for the Deaf at Berkeley.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 579. BREED.

Appropriates \$6,000 for the construction and equipment of a residence for the business manager of the California School for the Deaf and the Blind at Berkeley.

To Committee on Education.

S. B. 580. BREED.

New General Law. The title states that the bill is for the purpose of **regulating** the doing of public work, prescribing the procedure therefor and providing for the preparation, filing and publication of reports and cost data relative thereto by public and quasi public bodies, boards and officers.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on County Government.

S. B. 581. GRAY.

Amends Sec. 628a of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish. The last three words in line 7, all of lines 8 to 13, both inclusive, and the first three words in line 14, page 2 of the printed bill, are **added**.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 582. CARR.

Appropriates a blank amount to pay the claim of R. R. Veale against the State of California.

To Committee on Finance.

S. B. 583. JONES.

Amends Sec. 10 of the Pol. Code, relating to holidays. The words "except a general primary election" are **eliminated** after the word "state", in line 10, page 1 of the printed bill.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 584. BREED.

Appropriates \$5,031,696.75 for the support, maintenance and equipment of the University of California.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 585. BREED.

Appropriates \$300,000 to purchase land for agricultural laboratory purposes near the grounds of the University of California at Berkeley.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 586. BREED.

Appropriates \$120,000 for the construction of additional stacks for the University Library on the grounds of the University of California at Berkeley.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 587. SAMPLE.

Appropriates \$22,500 **continually** each fiscal year for the support of the Scripps Institution for Biological Research of the University of California.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 588. CROWLEY.

Appropriates \$50,000 **continually** each fiscal year for the support of the Medical School of the University of California.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 589. MURPHY.

Appropriates \$85,000 continually each fiscal year for the support of extension courses by the University of California.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 590. MURPHY.

Stats. 1921, p. 1280.

Repeals Act of June 3, 1921, appropriating money for the support of extension courses by the University of California.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 591. LYON.

Appropriates \$625,000 for the support, maintenance and equipment of the southern branch of the University of California for the seventy-fifth fiscal year, and each succeeding fiscal year thereafter.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 592. LYON.

Stats. 1921, p. 1281.

Repeals the Act of June 3, 1921, appropriating money for the support of teachers' training courses at the southern branch of the University of California.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 593. LYON.

Adds Sec. 3968 to the Pol. Code. **Provides** that two or more counties may change the boundary lines between their respective counties in the following manner: The boards of supervisors of such counties shall first mutually agree upon the desired change, then they shall adopt an ordinance setting forth the boundaries of their respective counties as they have agreed that the boundaries shall be changed. **Provides** that such ordinances shall become effective and operative either upon the expiration of thirty days after their passage, or upon approval at an election held for such purpose. **Provides** that after such ordinances have thus become effective and operative, a certified copy shall be forwarded to the **Surveyor General**. **Provides** that the Surveyor General shall check up the provisions of such ordinances, and that if he finds no errors in the boundaries as so changed, he shall file such ordinances in his office. **Provides** that from the moment of filing of such ordinances in the office of the Surveyor General the boundaries described in such ordinances shall be and become the boundaries of the respective counties named therein.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 594. McDONALD.

New General Law. Defines the word "hotel". Makes it a misdemeanor for any person to apply the word hotel to any institution other than as above defined.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 595. McDONALD.

New General Law. Makes it a misdemeanor for any person or persons to register at any hotel, inn, boarding house, lodging house, or apartment house in this State under a false name.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 596. McDONALD.

Appropriates \$100,000 for the restoration of the old missions of the State of California, said appropriation being conditioned upon the raising by contribution of private citizens of the State of a like sum of \$100,000, for expenditure with the funds appropriated by the State.

To Committee on Finance.

S. B. 597. McDONALD.

New General Law. Makes it a misdemeanor for any person to solicit guests for himself or for any hotel, inn, boarding or lodging house, or apartment house on boats and trains in this State.

See also digest of S. B. 547.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 598. LYON.

New General Law. With the exception of a slight change in the wording of the title this bill is identical with S. B. No. 513.

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

S. B. 599. BOGGS.

Adds Sec. 737eee to the Pol. Code. Changes the salary of the judges of the superior court of San Joaquin County from \$5,000 to \$----- per annum.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

S. B. 600. BOGGS.

Appropriates \$57,000 for the home demonstration service by the College of Agriculture of the University of California.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 601. BOGGS.

Appropriates \$6,000 for the construction of a new calf barn and addition to the milking barn at the Preston School of Industry.

To Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

S. B. 602. BOGGS.

Appropriates \$5,000 for the construction of a farm cottage on Riley ranch at the Preston School of Industry.

To Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

S. B. 603. GODSIL.

Deer, Gen. L. Sup. No. 1295d.

Amends the Fish and Game District Act of 1917.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 604. GODSIL.

Amends Sec. 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 605. HARRIS.

Appropriates \$168,595 for the support and salaries of the Immigration and Housing Commission.

To Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

S. B. 606. HARRIS.

Appropriates \$50,000 for the purchase and improvement of additional land for the State Teachers College at Fresno.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 607. HARRIS.

Appropriates \$25,000 for the improvement of the summer session property of the Fresno State Teachers College at Huntington Lake, in Fresno County.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 608. HARRIS.

Appropriates \$150,000 for the construction and equipment of a dormitory for women students at the State Teachers College at Fresno.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 609. HARRIS.

Appropriates \$10,000 for improvements to the streets and grounds at the State Teachers College at Fresno.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 610. HARRIS.

Appropriates \$35,000 for the construction and maintenance of a cafeteria building for the State Teachers College at Fresno.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 611. GRAY.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 922.

Amends Sec. 6 of the Dental Practice Act of 1915. The words "for five years", in line 7, page 2 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "for ten years". The words "of dental examiners of California", in lines 9 and 10, page 2 of the printed bill, are **added**. The words "and is a graduate from a high school or similar institution of learning in this or some other State of the United States requiring a three-year course of study" are **eliminated** after the word "years". The date "November 30, 1923", in lines 16 and 17, page 2 of the printed bill, is **substituted** for the date "November 30, 1915".

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

S. B. 612. GRAY.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1672k.

Amends Sec. 6 of the Act of 1917, relating to the maintenance of reserves and assets of companies and concerns transacting indemnity insurance business.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Insurance.

S. B. 613. INMAN.

New General Law. Declares that all property used in conducting lotteries, or for any purpose connected therewith, shall constitute a public nuisance and **prescribes** the procedure to be observed in enjoining or abating such nuisance. **Provides** that the court may forbid the use or occupancy of property used in connection with any lottery, for a period of one year. **Provides** that the court may, at its discretion, modify the order forbidding such use upon the giving of a bond by the owner of such property on condition that a lottery shall not be conducted upon such premises.

To Committee on Public Morals.

S. B. 614. INMAN.

Adds Sec. 4286¹/₂ to the Pol. Code. Provides that in counties of the seventh class (Sacramento County) the recorder shall be entitled to the actual cost incurred by him for the recording of papers and documents in his office, not to exceed seven cents per folio for long-hand recording and not to exceed six cents per folio for typewritten recording for each paper or document so recorded. Declares this to be an emergency measure.

To Committee on County Government.

S. B. 615. LEWIS.

Repeals Sec. 1818 of the Civil Code, relating to restrictions on devises or bequests for charitable uses.

To Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

S. B. 616. BOGGS.

Appropriates \$10,000 for completing the machine shop at the Preston School of Industry.

To Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

S. B. 617. BOGGS.

Appropriates \$5,000 for the construction of garages at the Preston School of Industry.

To Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

S. B. 618. BOGGS.

Appropriates \$65,000 for the construction of a new cottage on the farm of the Stockton State Hospital.

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

S. B. 619. BOGGS.

Appropriates \$19,000 for a new boiler in the women's building at the Stockton State Hospital.

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

S. B. 620. BOGGS.

Appropriates \$5,000 for furnishing a new psychopathic building at the Stockton State Hospital.

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

S. B. 621. BOGGS.

Appropriates \$2,700 for three new washing machines for the laundry of the Stockton State Hospital.

To Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

S. B. 622. BOGGS.

Appropriates \$75,000 for a detention and segregation unit at the Preston School of Industry.

To Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

S. B. 623. E. J. GATES.

Stats. 1915, p. 1502.

Appropriates \$3,000,000 to be used in furtherance of the objects of the Los Angeles County Flood Control Act; \$300,000 to be available for the fiscal year commencing July 1, 1923, and \$300,000 on July 1 of each fiscal year thereafter until the sum of \$3,000,000 has been paid.

To Committee on Finance.

S. B. 624. BREED.

Amends Sec. 1723 of the C. C. P., relating to the termination of life estates or homesteads. The present section is **revamped**, and **provides** that where any person has died, or shall hereafter die, who at the time of his death was the owner of a life estate which terminates by reason of the death of such person, or if such person at the time of his death was one of the spouses owning land as a homestead, which land by reason of the death of such person, vests in the surviving spouse; any person interested in the property or in the title thereto, may file in the superior court of the county in which the property is situated, his verified petition setting forth such facts. **Provides** that the court may hear such petition, and if it appears that such life estate absolutely terminated by reason of the death of the deceased, or such homestead vested in the survivor of such marriage, the court shall make a decree to that effect, which decree may be recorded in the office of the county recorder, and thereafter shall have the same effect as a final decree of distribution so recorded.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 625. JONES.

New General Law. Authorizes the State Board of Control, on behalf of the State of California, to convey and exchange certain lands owned and formerly used by the Woman's Relief Corps Home of California in Evergreen, county of Santa Clara, and to receive in exchange therefor certain lands adjoining the present site of the Women's Relief Corps Home of California, in Santa Clara County, defining the lands referred to by metes and bounds.

To Committee on Finance.

S. B. 626. JONES.

Appropriates \$30,000 for the improvement, support and maintenance of the California Redwood Park.

To Committee on Finance.

S. B. 627. JONES.

Appropriates \$80,000 for the survey and construction of a State highway from Governor's Camp in the California Redwood Park, to the Coast road at the point where said Coast road crosses the divide between Waddell Creek and Scott Creek. **Provides** that the work of locating, surveying and constructing said highway shall be assumed by the California Highway Commission.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

S. B. 628. JONES.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 428.

Amends Sec. 3 of the Building and Loan Commission Act of 1911. The words "not to exceed the sum of one thousand six hundred dollars per annum", are **eliminated** after the word "duties", in line 10, page 1 of the printed bill. The words "for such office there shall be allowed and paid a total rental of not exceeding one hundred dollars per month", are **eliminated** after the word "hours", in line 14, page 1 of the printed bill. The word "fuel", is **eliminated** before the word "stationery", in line 15, page 1 of the printed bill. **Increases** the amount which may be expended by the Building and Loan Commissioner for traveling expenses, office rental and office supplies from \$1800 to \$5500 per annum.

To Committee on Building and Loan Associations.

S. B. 629. JONES.

Amends Sec. 1559 of the C. C. P., relating to the sale and conveyance of the property of decedents. The word "written", in line 5, and the words "or personal", in line 6, page 1 of the printed bill, are **added**. The words "real estate" are **eliminated** before the word "agent", in line 5, page 1 of the printed bill. The words "to be allowed", in line 9, page 1 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "the amount of which must be fixed and allowed". The words "and when said sale is confirmed to such purchaser", in line 10, page 1 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "if a sale to a purchaser obtained by such agent is returned to the court for confirmation and said sale be confirmed to such purchaser". The words "by the court", in line 16, page 1 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "after the purchaser procured by said agent". The words "holding the contract", in line 19, page 1 of the printed bill, are **added**. The words "one-half of said commission to be paid to the agent whose bid was returned to the court for confirmation and one-half to the agent", in lines 20, 21 and 22, page 1 of the printed bill, are **added**.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 630. BOGGS.

Appropriates \$6,000 for the use of the University of California in exhibiting live stock from the university farm at agricultural fairs during the years of 1923 and 1924.

To Committee on Universities and Teachers Colleges.

S. B. 631. BOGGS.

Appropriates \$3,000 for the making of exhibits at agricultural fairs by the State Department of Agriculture during the years of 1923 and 1924.

To Committee on Agriculture and Live Stock.

S. B. 632. HANDY.

New General Law. Directs the Governor to propound to and against the government of the United States and to prosecute to collection a claim by and in the name of the State of California for all moneys paid illegally into the federal treasury as a direct tax upon property situated in this State. **Authorizes** the Governor to seek such legislation as to him shall appear necessary and proper, at the hands of the federal congress, as may provide for the payment of such moneys into the treasury of the State. **Outlines** the method and procedure which shall be followed by the Treasurer of this State to repay to the rightful claimants the money so recovered from the federal government. **Provides** that at the end of a period of five years from the date upon which such moneys shall be collected from the United States, said funds, for which no claims have been filed against the same, shall escheat to and become the absolute property of this State.

To Committee on Federal Relations.

S. B. 633. SWING.

New General Law. Declares a certain public highway in Inyo County, which extends from the northerly end of the present State highway to the boundary line between California and Nevada, to be a State highway and authorizes the Department of Public Works and the Division of Highways to improve and maintain the same.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

S. B. 634. SAMPLE. (By request.)

Amends Sec. 359 of the Civil Code, relating to increasing or diminishing the capital stock of corporations. The words "organized under the laws of this state having a capital stock", in lines 6 and 7, page 1 of the printed bill, are **added**. The word "such" is **added** after the word "every", in line 7, and again before the word "corporations", in line 8, page 1 of the printed bill. The words "and shall set forth the dates on which the notice herein-above required was published", in lines 12 and 13, page 4 of the printed bill, are **added**.

To Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 635. HARRIS.

The title states that the bill **appropriates** a sum of money to be expended by the division of water rights of the Department of Public Works of this State, in making investigations of water conditions in connection with applications to appropriate water, filed before said division.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Irrigation.

S. B. 636. LYON. (By request.)

Amends Sec. 69 of the Civil Code, relating to the issuance of marriage licenses. All the words and provisions beginning with the words "provided further", in line 3, and ending with the word "therewith", in line 47, page 2 of the printed bill, are **added** at the end of this section by this amendment, **providing** that no license shall be issued in accordance with the foregoing provisions of this section, unless at the time such license is applied for, the person so applying shall furnish to the clerk to which such application is made proof showing that at least ten days prior to such application, and not more than sixty days prior thereto, a notice of intention to apply for a license to marry was filed with the county recorder of the county in which such application for a marriage license was made. **Provides** that upon the filing of such notice of intention to marry, the county recorder shall issue a certificate of such filing to the applicant, and **prescribes** the form of such recorder's certificate.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 637. ARBUCKLE.

Appropriates a blank amount of money for the collection, propagation and distribution of certain beneficial insects, and for the investigation of their use in the control of agricultural pests by the University of California.

To Committee on Agriculture and Live Stock.

S. B. 638. BURNETT.

Adds Sec. 603 to the Penal Code. **Defines** sabotage to be the wilful and malicious physical damage or injury to physical property.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 639. BURNETT.

Adds Sec. 603b to the Penal Code. **Provides** that the penalty for attempt to commit sabotage shall be imprisonment in the State prison for not less than one year and not more than five years.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 640. BURNETT.

Adds Sec. 603a to the Penal Code. Makes sabotage a felony, punishable by imprisonment in the State prison for not less than one nor more than fourteen years.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 641. BURNETT.

Deer. Gen. L. Supp. No. 2143e.

Amends Sec. 3 of the Workmen's Compensation Act of 1917. This amendment practically eliminates all the provisions of the present Sec. 3 and substitutes a new section, which by its provisions creates a board consisting of three members, who shall be appointed by the Governor, and who shall hold office at his pleasure, which board shall be known as the "Industrial Accident Commission". **Provides** that each commissioner shall receive an annual salary of five thousand dollars. **Repeals** all acts in conflict. **The title and Sec. 1** of this act should be amended.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 642. SHARKEY.

Adds Sec. 1122 to the Pol. Code. **Provides** that it shall be the duty of every elector entitled to registration, to register within the time and manner required by law, for any and all elections which are held in this State, makes it a misdemeanor for every elector who, without valid excuse, shall fail to so register, and **provides** penalties for such failure. **Enumerates** the excuses which may be considered valid.

To Committee on Elections.

S. B. 643. SHARKEY.

Adds Sec. 1203a to the Pol. Code. Makes it a misdemeanor for any qualified voter whose name appears upon the register of the county in which he or she resides to fail to attend, without a valid excuse, the polling place where he or she is entitled to vote or to fail to sign the roster of voters, and prescribes penalties. **Enumerates** the excuses for such failure to appear, which shall be deemed valid.

To Committee on Elections.

S. B. 644. SHARKEY.

New General Law. **Declares** the county road extending from a point approximately one-half mile southeast of El Monte in Marin County, through Stimpson Beach, to Bolinas, in the same county, and known as the "Bolinas County Road", to be a State highway. **Provides** that such highway shall be maintained by the State, under the supervision of the State Department of Public Works.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

S. B. 645. M. B. JOHNSON.

Amends Sec. 1272a of the C. C. P., relating to the recovery of property received by or deposited with the State Treasurer. The last seven words in line 6, all of lines 7, 8 and 9, and the first two words in line 10, page 1 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "under the provisions of this code". The words "to said property", in lines 10 and 11, page 1 of the printed bill, are **added**. The words "and who has not appeared in the proceedings for the administration of such estate", and the words "within five years after the date of the decree of final distribution", are **eliminated**, respectively, by this amendment, before and after the word "may", in line 12, page 1 of the printed bill. The words "against the State of California", are **eliminated** by this amendment, after the word "Sacramento", in line 14, page 1 of the printed bill. The words "provided that no such claim shall be allowed or paid until at least five years after the death of the decedent, and then only in the event that no other claim is made to such property", are **eliminated** after the word "claim", in line 26, page 1 of the printed bill.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 646. BOGGS.

Appropriates a blank amount of money to carry out the purposes of the act of 1921 (Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1275f) relating to the promotion of the California fruit, nut and vegetable industry.

To Committee on Agriculture and Live Stock.

S. B. 647. BREED.

Reappropriates \$32,290, appropriated in 1921 for the grading, paving, guttering and drainage of that portion of Oxford street fronting upon the property of the University of California in Berkeley, to make such appropriation available for the purpose of grading, paving, curbing, bulkheading, guttering, drainage and construction of sidewalks of the west half of Oxford street, between Center street and University avenue, and of such portions of the easterly one hundred fifty feet of Addison street, as belong to the University of California, in Berkeley, Alameda County, and fronting on the property of the University of California.

To Committee on Finance.

S. B. 648. BOGGS.

Appropriates \$25,000 for repairs and replacements at the Preston School of Industry.

To Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

S. B. 649. M. B. JOHNSON.

Adds Sec. 1718 to the C. C. P. Outlines the procedure incident to the judicial ascertainment and establishment of the death of the father of any child, whose right to receive State aid, county aid, or State and county aid depends upon the presumptive death of the father of such child.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 650. MURPHY.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1537.

Amends Sec. 1 of the act of 1911, relating to the hours of employment of female employees. The words "place or" are **added** before the word "establishment", in line 16 and before the word "establishment", in line 20, page 2 of the printed bill.

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

S. B. 651. MURPHY.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 2140.

Amends Sec. 1 of the act of 1913, relating to misrepresentation of conditions of employment by employers. The words "or housing", in line 12, page 1 of the printed bill, are **added**. Sec. 2 of the original act is not changed nor is it included within the title of this bill.

To Committee on Labor and Capital.

S. B. 652. LYON.

Amends Sec. 1248 of the C. C. P., relating to proceedings in eminent domain.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 653. LYON.

New General Law. The title states that the bill **provides** that the State Board of Prison Directors at San Quentin penitentiary shall establish and maintain a central bureau of identification for the purpose of keeping records of identification of all persons accused or convicted of crime in this State. (Compare with Deer. Gen. L. No. 863.)

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

S. B. 654. HURLEY.

New General Law. The title states that the bill **provides** for the licensing of dealers in motor vehicle tires and for the payment of a license fee therefor and that all moneys raised by means of such license fees shall go into a fund to be used for the maintenance of highways, roads and streets in municipal corporations.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

S. B. 655. E. J. GATES.

Deer. Gen. L. No. 3937.

Amends Sec. 10 of the Street Improvement Act of 1911. All of lines 26 to 47, both inclusive, page 2 of the printed bill, are **added** to the end of the section by this amendment and **provide** that where no bids are received at the first invitation, the municipality by its chief executive officer, may present proposals for doing the work, and **provide** that in such case, where the municipality is the successful bidder, it shall not be required to execute any bond whatsoever for the performance of the work, nor to provide any moneys in advance for incidental expenses, notwithstanding any provisions to the contrary contained in this act. **Provides further** that in all other respects, the municipality shall assume the obligations and responsibilities of the successful bidder and shall be entitled to all the profits accruing from the contract. **Provides** that the city council shall, where the municipality becomes the contractor, provide all necessary funds for the doing of the work.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

S. B. 656. A. B. JOHNSON.

New General Law. The title states that the bill seeks to provide funds for the prevention and suppression of forest fires.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Conservation.

S. B. 657. M. B. JOHNSON.

New General Law. Authorizes the Director of Agriculture to create a Bureau of Capriculture to enforce the provisions of the Goat Dairy Law, and to encourage and promote the interests of the milk goat industry in this State. **Prescribes** rules for the production and handling of milk from goats or goat milk products and makes it a misdemeanor to sell or offer for sale for human consumption any milk from goats, or goat milk products, not furnished and handled as provided by this act. **Provides** for the issuance of permits authorizing the conduct of dairies furnishing or selling goat milk and **prescribes** the form and rules of issuance of such permits. Prescribes penalties for violation of the act or rules made under authority thereof and makes an appropriation of a blank amount.

To Committee on Agriculture and Live Stock.

S. B. 658. GRAY AND CANEPA.

New General Law. (See Digest of S. B. 518.) The provisions of that bill are identical with this bill, except that S. B. 518 appropriates \$25,000, whereas this bill appropriates \$50,000 for the purposes herein expressed.

To Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

S. B. 659. CHAMBERLIN.

Amends Secs. 78 and 90 of the Pol. Code, relating to division of the State into legislative districts.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Reapportionment.

S. B. 660. LEWIS.

New General Law. Provides that whenever real or mixed property shall be encumbered by mortgage or by the granting of a trust deed, it shall be necessary for the mortgagee or trustee to record the instrument, describing the property involved, in the mortgage or trust deed, with the county recorder of the county wherein such property is located. Provides that the mortgagee or trustee shall not secure title to said property in fee until the mortgagor or grantor in the transaction shall have had one year in which to redeem said mortgaged property or property conveyed by trust deed, after default by such mortgagor or grantor.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 661. LEWIS.

This act is **defective** inasmuch as it is impossible to identify the act which is sought to be amended by the bill.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

S. B. 662. BOGGS.

This bill **purports** to transfer the sum of \$8,623 from the fund for the purchase of additional land for the Preston School of Industry to the fund for support of that institution.

To Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

S. B. 663. CANEPA.

Amends Sec. 628 of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 664. CANEPA.

New General Law. Purports to authorize the State Highway Commission to furnish money out of the General Highway Fund to the several counties of this State for the purpose of constructing bridges as connecting units of the State highway, in cases of necessity, and under such arrangements as shall be deemed by the Commission to be for the best interests of this State. Provides that the State Highway Commission shall enter into contracts with such counties by the

terms of which said counties shall insure the repayment to the State highway funds of the amounts so furnished.

To Committee on Roads and Highways.

S. B. 665. CANEPA.

New General Law. Authorizes the board of State Harbor Commissioners to construct recreation piers along the water front in the city and county of San Francisco.

To Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

S. B. 666. CANEPA.

Authorizes the Board of State Harbor Commissioners to construct and maintain comfort stations on all piers along the water front in San Francisco.

To Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

S. B. 667. INMAN.

New General Law. The title states that the bill provides for the inspection and grading of lubricating oils under the direction of the Department of Agriculture.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Agriculture and Live Stock.

S. B. 668. SLATER.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 1010.

Amends Sec. 4 of the Direct Primary Law of 1913. The words "qualified to vote in his county at", in line 9, page 1 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the words "registered in his county between the first day of January next preceding and". The words "qualified to vote", in line 12, page 1 of the printed bill, are **substituted** for the word "registered". The words beginning with the word "provided", in line 14, and ending with the word "election", in line 17, page 1 of the printed bill, are **added**.

To Committee on Elections.

S. B. 669. SHARKEY.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 2143c.

Adds Sec. 3a to the Workmen's Compensation Act of 1917.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 670. LEWIS.

Deer. Gen. L. Sup. No. 3932.

Adds Sec. 13 to the Street Improvement Bond Act of 1893.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Municipal Corporations.

S. B. 671. LEWIS.

New General Law. Proposes that a law be drafted inaugurating a new system of taxation, which will save the State millions of dollars annually, by codifying and indexing each lot or parcel of land by lot or number. **This should be in the form of a resolution rather than a bill.**

To Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

S. B. 672. OSBORNE.

New General Law. Proposes the establishment of a new fish and game district in the region of Loma Prieta, in Santa Clara and Santa Cruz counties, the same to constitute a game preserve.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 673. JONES.

Amends Sec. 502 $\frac{1}{2}$ of the Penal Code, relating to the removal of improvements from mortgaged or encumbered real property. The words "or encumbering by deed of trust", in lines 3 and 4, the words "or deed of trust", line 5, the words "or encumbered property", in line 6, the words "or at trustee's sale", in line 7, the words "or the beneficiary or trustee, under such deed of trust", in lines 8 and 9, the words "or encumbered", in line 10, the words "or trustee's", in line 11, the word "successor", in line 12, the words "or encumbered", line 13, the words "pump, engine, or other part of the freehold that is attached", in line 16, the words "or beneficiary under deed of trust", in lines 18 and 19, the words "or trustee's", in line 20 and the word "successors", in line 21, all on page 1 of the printed bill, are **added** to this section by this amendment.

(The word "premiums", in line 7 of the present section should be "premises".)

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 674. BURNETT.

New General Law. Prescribes rules for regulating and promoting the better education of practitioners of radiography by means of the Roentgen Ray. **Requires** that the State Board of Health, within thirty days after the passage of this act, shall establish and maintain a department of examination and certification of registered radiographers, prescribes rules for the eligibility of applicants to take such examination and **provides** for the issuance of a certificate to each applicant who successfully passes the examination. **Provides** that the Board of Health shall have power to revoke or suspend the license of any registered radiographer for certain enumerated reasons. Makes violations of this act misdemeanors and **provides** penalties.

To Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

S. B. 675. INMAN.

Adds Sec. 653sd to the Civil Code. Provides that all corporations formed for agricultural purposes shall have power to levy and collect from the members of such corporation for the purpose of paying expenses of the corporation conducting business or paying debts, assessments in the manner prescribed by the by-laws of such corporation.

To Committee on Agriculture and Live Stock.

S. B. 676. ALLEN.

New General Law. Authorizes the planting of trees for wind-breaks. **Appropriates** a blank amount of money to carry out such purposes.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Finance.

S. B. 677. HURLEY.

Deer, Gen. L. No. 606.

Amends Sec. 11 of the Civil Service Act of 1913. The last five lines of the present section, relating to successive appointments, are **eliminated** by this amendment.

To Committee on Civil Service.

S. B. 678. W. F. GATES.

Amends Sec. 629 of the Penal Code, relating to the screening of pipes, flumes, intakes, irrigation ditches, canals and mill races for the protection of fish. The amendment to this section extends its provisions so as to **make irrigation districts and other political subdivisions amenable thereto** and **increases the minimum fine** for violations from \$20 to \$100, **and the minimum term of imprisonment** from ten days to fifty days. Lines 14 to 34, both inclusive, page 4 of the printed bill, are **added** to the end of this section, and **provide** that any sums expended by the Fish and Game Commission in the construction and installation of fish screens shall constitute a lien upon the property on which such screen is installed, and outlines the procedure which shall be followed in foreclosing such liens. **Provides** that the lien provisions of this act shall not apply to any irrigation district, or political subdivision, but **provides** that it shall be the duty of the governing body of such irrigation district or political subdivision to repay the Fish and Game Commission the cost of constructing such fish screen.

To Committee on Fish and Game.

S. B. 679. ALLEN.

Adds Sec. 1161a to the C. C. P. Provides for the immediate disposition of tenants after the expiration of the statutory time after notice.

SKELETON BILL.

To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 680. McDONALD (by request).

New General Law. Sec. 2 **defines** terms. Sec. 3 **requires** all persons maintaining employment agencies to procure licenses; makes failure to do so a misdemeanor. Sec. 4 **provides** that persons applying for license to the Commissioner of Labor shall accompany such application with affidavits as to good moral character, and shall include in such application certain items of information. Sec. 5 relates to the investigation by the Labor Commissioner of the character and responsibility of the applicant and of the premises designated in such application as a place for conducting such agency, and **provides** for the revocation of such license upon certain enumerated grounds. Secs. 6 and 7 **provide** what each license shall contain. Secs. 8 and 9 **provide** for license fees and contains a schedule of such fees. Sec. 10 **provides** for the recovery on the bonds deposited by such person licensed to carry on an employment agency. Sec. 11 relates to the requirements which must be observed by persons licensed to carry on such agencies. Secs. 12, 13, 14 and 15 prescribe the regulations which shall govern the hiring of applicants for employment. Sec. 16 requires every licensed person conducting an employment agency to file with the Commissioner of Labor a schedule of fees charged and collected by such agency. Sec. 17 and 18 relate to the regulation of theatrical agencies. Sec. 19 requires employment agencies to give every applicant for employment, from whom a fee is to be received, a contract or receipt, and provides what such contract or receipt shall contain. Sec. 20 requires the posting of a copy of this **act** in a conspicuous place in each room of every employment agency. Sec. 21 provides penalties for violations of the act. Sec. 22 empowers the Commissioner of Labor to enforce the provisions of the act. The last two sections of this bill are incorrectly numbered. The act purports to repeal chapter 282 of the Political Code. There is no chapter 282 of the Political Code.



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35a	Added -----		160	592h	Added -----		74
36	Amended -----		160	592i	Added -----		74
36a	Added -----	110		592j	Added -----		74
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51	Amended -----		113	592m	Added -----		74
52	Amended -----		113	592m to			
54a	Added -----	909		592(-)	Added -----	785	
60a	Added -----	1233		592n	Added -----		74
68a	Added -----	189		607e	Amended -----	546	
69	Amended -----	189		609	Amended -----	845	
69	Amended -----		636	611	Amended -----	844	
69	Amended -----	807		628	Repealed -----		180
69b	Added -----	26		629	Repealed -----		180
70	Amended -----		96	630	Repealed -----		180
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92	Amended -----	77		631	Repealed -----		180
92	Amended -----	13		632	Repealed -----		180
94	Repealed -----	77		646	Amended -----	429	
95	Repealed -----	77		647	Amended -----		522
96	Repealed -----	77		653d	Amended -----	626	
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98	Repealed -----	77		653bb	Added -----		85
99	Repealed -----	77		653ce	Added -----		85
100	Repealed -----	77		653dd	Added -----		85
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132	Amended -----	302		653nn	Added -----		85
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309	Amended -----	174		653vv	Added -----		85
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345	Amended -----	607		653xx	Added -----		85
359	Amended -----		634	653yy	Added -----		85
361a	Amended -----		287	653zz	Added -----		85
415	Amended -----	252		653sb	Amended -----	677	
453	Amended -----	248		653sd	Added -----		675
453e	Amended -----		565	653sd	Added -----		219
453e	Amended -----		567	653zzn	Added -----		85
453s	Amended -----		566	653zzb	Added -----		85
453t	Amended -----		566	658	Amended -----		160
453u	Amended -----		566	660	Amended -----		160
453v	Amended -----		566	789	Amended -----		283
453w	Amended -----		566	857	Added -----		399
453x	Amended -----		566	869a	Amended -----	819	
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1098	Added -----		160	2178	Added -----		262
1099	Added -----		160	2466	Amended -----	728	
1136	Repealed -----		160	2470	Amended -----	631	
1140	Repealed -----		160	2757	Amended -----	37	
1141	Repealed -----		160	2768	Added -----	675	
1142	Repealed -----		160	2777	Amended -----	98	
1158	Amended -----	678		2778	Amended -----	339	
1158a	Added -----	678		2889	Amended -----	349	
1166	Added -----	347		2924	Amended -----		307
1167	Added -----	347		2924	Amended -----	1033	
1168	Added -----	347		2932	Amended -----	1166	
1168a	Added -----	347		2957a	Added -----	262	
1269a	Amended -----	64		2959	Amended -----	461	
1275	Amended -----		224	2965	Amended -----	461	
1281	Amended -----	720		2966	Amended -----	461	
1313	Repealed -----		615	3049	Repealed -----		160
1313	Amended -----	645		3051a	Added -----	3	
1365	Amended -----	1071		3066	Added -----	474	
1369	Amended -----	1069		3066	Added -----	960	
1386	Amended -----		164	3066	Added -----	1115	
1387	Amended -----	1229		3066a	Added -----	474	
1387	Amended -----	1234		3066b	Added -----	474	
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1689	Amended -----		160	3066m	Added -----	474	
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146a	Added -----	160		626	Amended -----	1012	
146a	Added -----	251		626	Amended -----		506
146a	Added -----	249		626	Amended -----	918	
190	Amended -----	89		626	Amended -----		604
195	Amended -----		140	626	Amended -----		295
207a	Added -----	711		626	Amended -----	854	
211	Amended -----	712		626	Amended -----		362
211a	Added -----	710		626	Amended -----	602	
211a	Added -----	944		626	Amended -----	1214	
211b	Added -----	713		626	Amended -----	977	
213	Amended -----	712		626	Amended -----	793	
213	Amended -----	714		626	Amended -----	852	
213	Amended -----	945		626b	Amended -----		511
257a	Added -----	1014		626d	Amended -----	600	
258	Added -----		474	626e	Amended -----	460	
264	Amended -----	947		626e	Amended -----	862	
270	Amended -----	1078		626f	Amended -----		215
270	Amended -----		202	626f	Amended -----	522	
276	Added -----	427		626f	Amended -----	767	
310	Amended -----	1047		626g	Amended -----		508
320	Amended -----	135		626g	Amended -----		334
320	Amended -----		477	626h	Amended -----	36	
321	Amended -----	135		626i	Amended -----	36	
321	Amended -----		477	626i	Amended -----		214
322	Amended -----	135		626i	Repealed -----	522	
322	Amended -----		477	626j	Amended -----	598	
323	Amended -----	135		626j	Amended -----	764	
323	Amended -----		477	626k	Amended -----		302
325	Added -----		477	626m	Amended -----		507
325a	Added -----	135		626m	Amended -----	692	
330	Amended -----	111		626o	Amended -----	599	
330a	Amended -----	144		626o	Amended -----	792	
337b	Added -----	827		626s	Amended -----		425
347b	Added -----	898		626u	Repealed -----	601	
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373a	Amended -----	1220		628	Amended -----		663
383b	Added -----	126		628	Amended -----		405
384	Amended -----		497	628a	Amended -----		581
384b	Added -----	525		628a	Amended -----	1093	
384c	Added -----	525		628a	Amended -----		251
392a	Added -----	846		628a	Added -----		253
402g	Added -----	899		628a	Added -----		254
407a	Added -----		570	628a	Amended -----		439
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460a	Added -----	942		628a	Amended -----	593	
461	Amended -----	943		628b	Amended -----		213
464	Amended -----		457	629	Amended -----	30	
476b	Added -----	15		629	Amended -----		678
487	Amended -----	946		631a	Amended -----	695	
496b	Added -----	1042		632	Amended -----	853	
499b	Repeals -----		195	632	Amended -----	794	
499c	Repeals -----		195	632	Amended -----	763	
502	Amended -----		673	632	Amended -----	978	
531a	Added -----	964		632	Amended -----	1065	
537	Amended -----	25		632d	Added -----		64
538	Amended -----	462		634	Amended -----	1225	
548	Amended -----	521		634	Amended -----	492	
549	Amended -----	521		634	Amended -----		441
592a	Added -----	335		634	Amended -----	777	
596	Amended -----	103		634	Amended -----	1089	
602	Amended -----	104		634	Amended -----		436
603	Added -----		638	636	Amended -----		236
603a	Added -----		640	636	Amended -----		409
603b	Added -----		639	636	Amended -----	1088	
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637	Added -----		515	1206	Amended -----		451
637	Amended -----		548	1207	Amended -----	623	
637j	Added -----	524		1214	Amended -----		451
637k	Added -----		412	1215	Amended -----		451
644	Added -----	218		1243	Amended -----	940	
645	Added -----	828		1246	Amended -----	624	
653e	Amended -----		531	1247	Amended -----	627	
653f	Added -----	59		1280a	Added -----		24
654e	Added -----	432		1280a	Added -----	67	
920	Amended -----	686		1280b	Added -----		24
925	Amended -----		23	1280b	Added -----	67	
925	Amended -----		284	1470	Amended -----	884	
925	Amended -----	66		1487	Amended -----		286
925	Amended -----	889		1510	Amended -----	1162	
925	Amended -----		199	1511b	Repealed -----	1160	
928	Amended -----	682		1512	Amended -----	1161	
928	Amended -----	697		1540	Amended -----	868	
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1093	Amended -----	950		1557	Amended -----		403
1112	Added -----	545		1557	Amended -----	390	
1121	Amended -----	235		1557	Amended -----	829	
1159	Amended -----	306		1586	Amended -----	185	
1168	Amended -----		468	1587	Amended -----	185	
1168	Amended -----	1053		1587	Amended -----	795	
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52	Amended -----		201	475	Amended -----	1239	
78	Amended -----	739		528	Amended -----	1002	
78	Amended -----		659	589	Amended -----	54	
78	Amended -----		431	591	Repealed -----	63	
78	Amended -----		48	594	Amended -----		133
78	Amended -----	118		594a	Amended -----		561
78	Amended -----	109		594b	Amended -----	850	
90	Amended -----	739		599	Amended -----	1235	
90	Amended -----		659	602	Amended -----	520	
90	Amended -----		431	602	Amended -----		169
90	Amended -----		48	602	Amended -----		381
90	Amended -----	118		618	Amended -----	1043	
90	Amended -----	109		629	Amended -----		382
117	Amended -----		47	629	Amended -----	519	
117	Amended -----	1		629a	Added -----	518	
125	Amended -----	259		629a	Added -----		380
158	Amended -----	921		633	Amended -----	592	
179	Amended -----	254		633a	Amended -----	1149	
246	Amended -----	285		633b	Amended -----	1116	
247a	Added -----	428		633d	Added -----	586	
261a	Amended -----	1222		634	Amended -----		563
344	Amended -----	694		643	Amended -----	1695	
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360b	Amended -----	981		654 to			
360b	Amended -----	1058		691, inc	Amended -----	953	
360d	Amended -----	981		718	Amended -----	1098	
360e	Amended -----	210		719	Amended -----	1098	
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362a	Amended -----		449	737ee	Added -----		132
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362b	Amended -----	934		737p	Added -----		107
362b	Amended -----		449	737p	Added -----	226	
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365	Added -----	442		1072	Amended -----	42	
365a	Added -----	442		1093	Amended -----		60
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365c	Added -----	442		1131	Amended -----	1032	
365d	Added -----	442		1142	Amended -----		108
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1261	Amended -----	611		1609	Amended -----		465
1263	Amended -----	612		1609	Amended -----	534	
1264	Amended -----	613		1609a	Added -----	837	
1268	Amended -----	614		1609a	Added -----		347
1333	Amended -----		87	1610	Amended -----	742	
1394½	Amended -----		200	1610	Amended -----		102
1426	Amended -----	274		1610a	Added -----		342
1487	Amended -----	636		1612	Amended -----	746	
1488	Amended -----	636		1612	Amended -----		536
1489	Amended -----	636		1612	Amended -----		343
1490	Repealed -----	636		1612	Amended -----	1155	
1491	Repealed -----	636		1612	Amended -----	412	
1494	Amended -----	636		1612a	Amended -----	1146	
1495	Repealed -----	636		1616	Amended -----		123
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1503	Amended -----	636		1617	Amended -----		311
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1532a	Added -----		443	1662	Amended -----	561	
1533	Amended -----	864		1662	Amended -----	1008	
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1543	Amended -----	232		1662a	Added -----	362	
1543	Amended -----	1064		1665	Amended -----	1126	
1543e	Added -----		138	1667	Amended -----	148	
1543e	Added -----	842		1687	Amended -----	560	
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1552	Amended -----	836		1700	Amended -----		344
1552	Amended -----		353	1700	Amended -----	835	
1553	Repealed -----	926		1701	Amended -----	835	
1560	Amended -----	43		1701	Amended -----		344
1560	Amended -----	834		1705	Added -----		378
1560	Amended -----		311	1720	Amended -----		311
1564	Amended -----	834		1725	Amended -----		555
1564	Amended -----		341	1731a	Added -----		212
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1586	Amended -----	471		1734b	Amended -----	973	
1587	Amended -----	471		1734c	Added -----		427
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1589	Amended -----	473		1739a	Amended -----	205	
1589a	Amended -----	473		1741	Amended -----		411
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1608	Amended -----	743		1746b	Added -----	1191	
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1608	Amended -----		43	1753	Added -----	408	
1608	Amended -----	173		1755	Amended -----	1140	
1608a	Added -----	927		1756	Amended -----	1142	
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1771	Amended -----		446	2170	Added -----	186	
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1778	Repealed -----		446	2192	Amended -----	290	
1830	Amended -----		395	2192	Amended -----		112
1830	Amended -----	776		2210	Amended -----		11
1838	Amended -----	1145		2236	Added -----	659	
1840	Amended -----	1143		2236	Added -----		318
1859	Amended -----	375		2237	Added -----	659	
1880	Repealed -----	366		2237	Added -----		318
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1880	Amended -----	776		2238	Added -----	659	
1880	Amended -----		396	2238	Added -----		318
1881	Repealed -----	366		2238	Repealed -----	659	
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1882	Repealed -----	366		2239	Added -----		318
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1885	Repealed -----	366		2244	Repealed -----	659	
1885	Added -----	366		2245	Added -----	659	
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1886	Repealed -----	366		2251	Added -----	659	
1886	Added -----	366		2252	Added -----		318
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1887	Added -----	366		2253	Added -----		318
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1894c	Added -----	313		2259	Added -----		318
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2280	Repealed		318	3650	Amended	333	
2282	Repealed	659		3650a	Added	121	
2282	Repealed		318	3664a	Amended		520
2283	Amended		297	2664b	Amended		520
2289	Amended	959		3664c	Amended		520
2289	Amended		471	3664d	Amended		520
2319i	Amended	838		3664a	Amended	731	
2319j	Repealed	838		3664b	Amended	731	
2319in	Added	962		3664c	Amended	731	
2322	Amended		488	3664d	Amended	731	
2322a	Amended		483	3664aa	Added		397
2322a	Amended	61		3664a	Amended	1221	
2322b	Amended		488	3669c	Amended	616	
2322c	Amended		488	3746	Amended	681	
2322d	Amended		488	3751	Amended		235
2322e	Amended		488	3756	Amended	56	
2322f	Amended		488	3764	Amended	1054	
2322g	Amended		488	3761a	Added	121	
2322h	Amended		488	3769	Amended	91	
2322i	Amended		488	3779	Added	381	
2552	Amended		393	3801	Amended	201	
2605	Amended		70	3805e	Added	199	
2609	Added		69	3818	Amended	231	
2620	Amended	72		3818	Amended	1144	
2632	Amended	323		3823	Amended	689	
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2640	Amended	1105		3958, inc	Repealed		315
2640	Amended		390	3909 to			
2643	Amended	1131		3966, inc	Added		315
2644	Amended	1108		3968	Added		593
2645	Amended	396		4021	Amended	830	
2646	Amended		387	4022	Amended	1177	
2646	Amended	752		4021	Amended	617	
2652	Repealed	508		4029	Amended	350	
2653	Amended	370		4041	Amended	204	
2653	Amended	750		4041	Amended	754	
2653	Amended	508		4041	Amended	1169	
2653	Amended		388	4041	Amended	721	
2656	Amended	508		4041	Amended	491	
2656	Amended	510		4041	Amended	1238	
2657	Added	1154		4041	Amended	365	
2671	Repealed	508		4041	Amended		327
2870	Amended	1203		4041	Amended		386
2871	Amended	990		4041a	Amended	365	
2872	Amended	991		4041a	Added	654	
2873	Amended	993		4041b	Amended	365	
2878	Amended	992		4041c	Amended	265	
2982	Amended		193	4041d	Amended	265	
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3236	Added		13	4041f	Amended	782	
3356	Amended	374		4041f	Amended	1046	
3357	Amended	374		4041g	Added	311	
3358	Repealed	374		4041g	Added	881	
3366	Amended	778		4041g	Added	516	
408d	Amended	198		4041g to			
3453	Amended		352	4041zinc	Added	365	
3460	Amended	894		4041k	Added		505
3464	Added		321	4042	Amended	180	
3480	Amended	610		4043	Amended		280
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4085½	Repealed -----	910		4245	Amended -----		481
4089	Added -----	722		4246	Amended -----	515	
4130	Amended -----	464		4247	Amended -----	588	
4130	Amended -----	679		4247a	Added -----		1
4131	Amended -----	679		4248	Amended -----	1243	
4131	Amended -----	874		4249	Amended -----		135
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4152a	Added -----	1135		4252	Amended -----	336	
4153	Amended -----		364	4252½	Added -----		15
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4157	Amended -----	1013		4253	Amended -----	890	
4178	Amended -----	621		4254	Amended -----	80	
4190	Amended -----	1159		4254	Amended -----		38
4190	Amended -----	986		4255	Amended -----	179	
4198	Amended -----	1159		4256	Amended -----	1137	
4201	Amended -----	1159		4257	Amended -----		185
4202	Amended -----	1159		4259	Amended -----	334	
4214	Amended -----		556	4261	Amended -----	548	
4215	Amended -----		556	4262	Amended -----	1175	
4216	Amended -----		556	4263	Amended -----	1096	
4219	Amended -----		556	4264	Amended -----		274
4220	Amended -----		556	4264	Amended -----	155	
4221a	Added -----	371		4265	Amended -----		134
4225	Amended -----	403		4270	Amended -----	490	
4225a	Amended -----	399		4270a	Added -----	117	
4232	Amended -----	4		4272	Amended -----	407	
4232	Amended -----		45	4272	Amended -----	747	
4232	Amended -----	985		4274	Amended -----	453	
4232	Amended -----		201	4275	Amended -----	499	
4233	Amended -----	551		4277	Amended -----		333
4233	Amended -----	905		4277	Amended -----	455	
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4234a	Added -----		360	4281	Amended -----	423	
4235	Amended -----	265		4284	Amended -----	414	
4235a	Added -----		9	4286	Amended -----	52	
4236a	Amended -----	40		4287	Amended -----	452	
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4236c	Amended -----	40		4290	Amended -----		543
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4236f	Amended -----	40		4295	Amended -----	789	
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4236k	Amended -----	40		4300f	Amended -----		97
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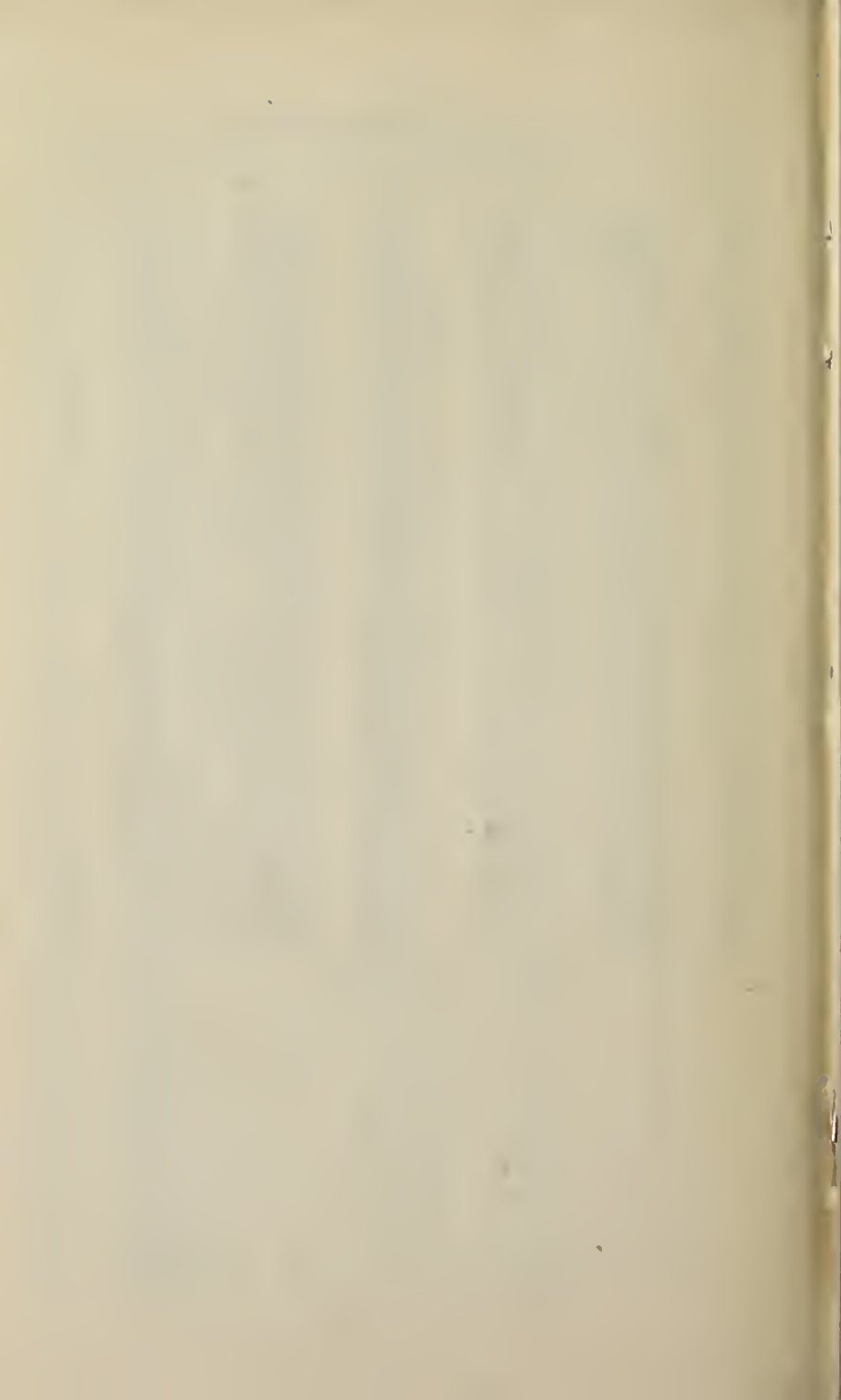
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99	Amended	341		542	Amended	865	
103	Amended		41	512b	Added	400	
103	Amended		151	512b	Added	860	
103	Amended	58		544	Amended	319	
113	Amended	162		561	Added		163
142	Amended	1158		580a	Added		535
149	Amended	632		607	Amended	47	
160	Amended		514	607	Amended	949	
170	Amended	139		613	Amended	46	
170	Amended		271	629	Added	298	
171	Amended		150	632	Amended	166	
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198	Amended	995		634	Added	220	
199	Amended	995		649	Amended	49	
199	Amended		198	650	Amended	50	
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200	Amended	995		659	Amended	300	
200	Amended	603		660	Amended	294	
261	Amended		198	663	Amended	170	
261	Amended	995		664	Amended	158	
262	Amended	995		671	Amended	303	
262	Amended		198	671a	Amended	76	
264	Amended		36	671a	Amended	818	
264	Amended		198	671a	Repealed	303	
264	Amended	995		674	Amended	65	
264c	Amended	995		674	Amended	303	
264c	Amended		198	674	Amended	821	
210	Amended		198	681a	Amended	1250	
210	Amended	995		685	Amended	503	
214	Amended		198	689	Amended	389	
214	Amended	995		690	Amended	45	
219	Amended		198	690	Amended	156	
219	Amended	995		690	Amended	639	
231	Amended	1037		692	Amended	922	
232	Amended	1036		702	Amended	295	
246	Amended	995		726a	Added	288	
246	Amended		198	848	Amended	119	
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274a	Amended	1248		851	Amended	1249	
275	Amended		269	852	Amended	1249	
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279a	Added		268	857a	Amended	1249	
287a	Added		267	857a	Amended	549	
300	Amended		263	858	Amended	1249	
301	Added		269	858	Repealed	963	
340	Amended	1186		860a	Added	1249	
349a	Added		33	860b	Added	1249	
359a	Added	557		871	Amended	1021	
378	Amended		264	925a	Added	276	
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379a	Added		264	927	Amended	410	
379b	Added		264	927a	Amended	496	
379c	Added		264	927c	Amended	495	
391	Added		264	927e	Amended	937	
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407	Amended	293		927n	Repealed	622	
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430	Amended		264	927p	Amended	936	
437	Amended	125		947	Repealed	304	
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974	Amended -----	301		1491	Amended -----	775	
978	Amended -----	206		1518	Repealed -----	1245	
981a	Added -----	1020		1519	Repealed -----	1245	
1018	Added -----	305		1523	Amended -----	1244	
1048	Amended -----		270	1526	Amended -----	1077	
1111	Amended -----	257		1527	Repealed -----		189
1161a	Added -----		679	1527	Repealed -----	1245	
1184a	Amended -----	541		1549	Amended -----	107	
1190	Amended -----	75		1559	Amended -----	1247	
1190	Amended -----	814		1559	Amended -----		629
1191a	Added -----	961		1561	Amended -----		162
1191b	Added -----	475		1578	Amended -----		190
1232	Amended -----	615		1579	Amended -----		190
1238	Amended -----		503	1592	Amended -----	1246	
1238	Amended -----	215		1593	Added -----	1076	
1240	Amended -----		503	1597	Amended -----	108	
1241	Amended -----	576		1618	Amended -----	83	
1248	Amended -----		652	1619	Amended -----	83	
1248	Amended -----	1063		1658	Amended -----	775	
1249	Amended -----	96		1664	Amended -----	775	
1449	Amended -----	1062		1671	Added -----	348	
1255b	Added -----	1055		1718	Added -----		649
1255e	Added -----	1061		1718	Added -----	1213	
1272a	Amended -----	1240		1718	Added -----	286	
1272a	Amended -----		645	1723	Amended -----	158	
1274b	Added -----	553		1723	Amended -----	53	
1279	Amended -----	984		1723	Amended -----	287	
1304	Amended -----	1075		1723	Amended -----		624
1319	Added -----		247	1760	Amended -----	620	
1319	Added -----	667		1761	Amended -----		223
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SUPPLEMENT.

The following omissions and corrections have been observed, and are therefore noted in this supplement :

- A. B. 143—Sec. 4236 should read 4326.
- A. B. 144—The word “adds” should read “amends”.
- A. B. 165—Political Code should be Code of Civil Procedure.
- A. B. 170—Sec. 633 should read 663.
- A. B. 276—Sec. 9251a should read 925a.
- A. B. 303—Repeals Sec. 671a (omitted).
- A. B. 306—Sec. 1151 should read 1159.
- A. B. 314—Sec. 1844b should read 1894b.
- A. B. 333—Sec. 350 should read 3650.
- A. B. 522—Sec. 626 should read 626f.
- A. B. 556—Sec. 3469 should read 3649.
- A. B. 636—Sec. 1505 (omitted).
- A. B. 659—Sec. added 2236 to 2245, both inclusive, omitted, and 2267, 2268, repealed, are omitted.
- A. B. 867—Sec. 1540 should read 1540a.
- A. B. 894—Sec. 3640 should read 3460.
- A. B. 922—Sec. 691 should read 692.
- A. B. 949—The word “amends” omitted.
- A. B. 1121—Sec. 2087 should read 2078.
- S. B. 114—Sec. 733b should read 1733b.
- S. B. 318—Secs. 2236 to 2245, added, both inclusive, omitted, and 2267, 2268, repealed, are omitted.

